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TO ASK THE COUNTY BOARD FOR MONEY FOR ADVERTISING

JOINT COMMITTEE SUBMITS ITS REPORT AS PREPARED

CITIZENS ARE ALSO ASKED TO HELP NEW SMYRNA TO GET INLET DEEPENED AND HARD-SURFACED ROAD.

That the board of county commissioners will be asked to appropriate $2,500 for the purpose of advertising Volusia county as a desirable place for the northern people seeking a place to locate in the south, and that the boards of trade of Daytona and De Land, as well as every citizen of the county should use every means to help New Smyrna in the fight to have Mosquito inlet opened to deep sea navigation, is the report submitted by the joint committee from the Daytona and New Smyrna boards of trade and the DeLand Business Men's league some time ago.

This report also recommends that the county commissioners be urged to complete as soon as possible and hard-surface the road between New Smyrna and DeLand, giving better transportation facilities and completing a triangular drive which would be a strong attraction to visiting automobilists and winter tourists.

This joint report comes as the result of the movement started some time ago, to thoroughly advertise Volusia county as a desirable section for the homeseeker seeking a permanent location, and to this end one member of the New Smyrna board of trade, one member of the Daytona board of trade and one member of the DeLand Business Men's league was appointed to make a joint committee to devise ways and means for this advertising.

The members of the committee held a meeting in New Smyrna recently and drew up a report, which was submitted first to the New Smyrna board of trade at its regular meeting last Friday night.

The request for the appropriation from the board of county commissioners will be made at the regular meeting of that body July 7th, and the joint committee will appear before the board to urge that this appropriation be made.

The report of the joint committee is as follows:

"We, your committee, beg to report that we have held a meeting at which was discussed various subjects along the line of promoting the interests of our county in general and we wish to present the following recommendations for your consideration:

"We recommend, first: That the three boards appoint a joint committee to wait upon the board of county commissioners at the earliest possible meeting, and that the said committee urge the county commissioners to grant an appropriation from the county funds for the prpose of having published an edition of at least 100,000 booklets advertising Volusia county and its advantages to the homeseeker, as well as to the tourist, and others seeking locations in Florida. We believe that such an edition of attractive booklets, properly distributed, would result in much good to our county and prove to be a good investment. In our opinion this appropriation should not be less than $2,500. We believe that the distribution of the books could be left to the different towns in the county, to the transportation companies, to the land companies and others who are interested in getting settlers into this section.

"Second: We recommend that our different organizations support New Smyrna in every way possible in the effort to procure harbor improvement for Mosquito inlet. We feel that this improvement would result in great good to our county, and believe that we should all assist in raising funds for the purpose of sending a committee to Washington to further this matter, and in very other way which may tend to procuring this very desirable improvement.

"Third: We recommend that the county commissioners be urged to complete and hard-surface, as soon as practical, the DeLand-New Smyrna road. This, we feel, will not only afford better transportation facilities along the route, but will, at the same time, complete a triangular drive, which would be a strong attraction to automobilists and serve to make this section a more inviting place for tourists and winter visitors. To this end we suggest that a joint resolution, signed by the president and secretary of each board be presented to the county commissioners at the next meeting.

"We believe that these matters deserve attention, and that if the three organizations pull together for the county good, much can be accomplished for the benefit of all.

"Respectfully submitted,
"J. H. HISSARD, New Smyrna.
"B. E. STEVENS, Daytona.
"T. W. GOULD, DeLand."

Mrs. C. A. Roach and daughters, left Tuesday for St. Augustine. They are visiting Mrs. H. Grant of that city and will remain several days.

CITIZENS WANT SYSTEMATIC DISPOSAL OF ALL GARBAGE

CITY COUNCIL WILL BE ASKED TO ADOPT SOME PLAN FOR KEEPING THE CITY CLEAN ALL THE TIME.

That there should be some means provided for hauling away the garbage and refuse from the homes in the city, and that the city council should establish a systematic manner of keeping the city clean of garbage, is the belief of the members of the board of trade of this city, and the city council will be asked, through the sanitary committee of the board of trade to take some definite action along this line at once.

This is the result of action taken by the board of trade at its regular meeting last Friday night, and it is the first definite step in the direction of keeping the city clean of garbage. Up to this time there has been no system of disposing of garbage, rubbish, etc., this matter having been left entirely with the property owners.

By action of the board of trade Dr. W. C. Chowning as chairman of the sanitary committee was instructed to confer with the city council and request that some rule be adopted by the council, and the citizens are hoping that definite action will be taken by the aldermen at once.

BIG POPULATION INCREASE IS SHOWN FOR NEW SMYRNA

NUMBER OF PEOPLE HERE MORE THAN DOUBLED IN TEN YEARS AND THE CITY CONTINUES TO PROGRESS.

Years ago Horace Greeley said: "Go west, young man, go west."

Today the cry is: "Go south, young man, go south," and the young man has gone south, and others continue to go south until Florida, the land of sunshine and flowers, the most southern state of the Union, once a mere spot of wilderness, now looms into view as a land of plenty.

Florida has made and is making tremendous strides in progress, both in development and in the increase of population. This fact is undisputed. In connection with this the increase of population in the city of New Smyrna is of particular interest to the people of this section, especially at this time, during the campaign for the opening of Mosquito inlet. New Smyrna has shown great strides in building up, in improvements and in the increase of population during the past ten years, especially when compared with some of her neighboring cities and towns. To prove that New Smyrna has more than doubled in population during the past decade, it is only necessary to refer to the last federal census Her percentage of increase in population in the decade of 1900 to 1910 was 1.07, and the following list shows how this percentage of increase compares with a number of the neighboring cities and towns:

Towns	Percentage
New Smyrna	1.07
DeLand	.94
Eau Gallie	.91
St. Augustine	.85
Daytona	.82
Cocoa	.62
Orlando	.55
Orange City	.30
Titusville	.15
DeLeon Springs	.10

EVERY MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRADE SHOULD BE PRESENT

NECESSARY THAT MAJORITY SHOULD BE PRESENT TONIGHT TO VOTE ON CHANGE OF CONSTITUTION.

Because the New Smyrna board of trade has up for action at its regular meeting tonight a matter which requires the voting of a majority of the members of the board, it is an absolute necessity for such action to be taken that practically every member of that organization in the city attend the meeting of the board tonight.

This is not a matter of personal pleasure or comfort, but a matter of public welfare and every member of the board of trade is urgently requested to be present at the session of the board tonight.

Two weeks ago there was handed to the board by the committee appointed for that purpose, a resolution amending the constitution to provide for a board of nine governors, which shall have power to transact business for the board itself and relieve the board of trade of the frequent embarrassment of not being able to get out a quorum at its regular meetings during the summer months.

This resolution met with the favor of the members of the board present when the report of the committee was handed in, but its adoption must be accomplished by a majority vote of a majority of the members of the whole board. At this season of the year, when a large number of the members of the board are out of the city, it becomes necessary that every member of that organization now in New Smyrna shall be present at the session tonight to bring together a majority of the members for action on this matter.

At this time, when steady work in connection with the effort to deepen Mosquito inlet is necessary, weekly meetings of the board of trade are necessary. Also, at this season of the year it is hard work for the officers of the board to get out the necessary quorum for the transaction of business, and it is believed a board of governors could handle many of the subjects of importance now compelled to wait for action by the whole board.

If you are a member of the board of trade and are interested in the future development of New Smyrna it is your duty to attend the board meeting tonight.

SECRETARY HAMILTON SAYS MELBOURNE IS LIVE TOWN.

H. I. Hamilton, secretary of the New Smyrna board of trade, and of the Central Florida Deep Waterways association, arrived in Melbourne Monday night and addresed the Melbourne Ad club on the subject of deep waterways. His explanation of the association's plans made a decidedly favorable impression on the club and immediate action was taken to lend all possible assistance to the work.

Mr. Hamilton remained over Monday night here and Tuesday morning a committee appointed by the club, consisting of C. H. Stewart, E. B. Krager, and Elton Hall, called for him in Mr. Stewarts' car and drove him over to the big plant of the Union Cypress company in South Melbourne. Mr. Hamilton was conducted through the plant and was surprised at its magnitude. Returning to Melbourne, Mr. Krager, C. H. Clark and Dr. B. S. Maloy took the guest over to Melbourne Beach, where he spent an interesting hour He went to Eau Gallie by automobile in the evening to attend a meeting of the board of trade of that place, but returned here yesterday morning to give a little more time to looking Melbourne over.

He expressed himself as delighted with Melbourne and made the direct statement that it is the liviest town on the East Coast that he has so far visited. Mr. Hamilton sees great opportunities in and around Melbourne and believes the city will be heard from in the future.—Melbourne Times.

Moves to South Jacksonville—

Harry T. Posner and wife and children removed to South Jacksonville Saturday. Mr. Posner has been living in New Smyrna for some time, having been in business here as proprietor of the New Smyrna Surplus Store.

M. S. SAMS PASSES AWAY AT HOME NEAR TITUSVILLE

NUMBER OF NEW SMYRNA MASONS ATTEND FUNERAL OF MAN WHO WAS WELL KNOWN THROUGHOUT THE STATE.

M. S. Sams, for 30 years a resident of Merritt's island, near Titusville, and well known throughout this section of the country, died at his home at Courtenay at 9 o'clock Tuesday night, a few hours after the arrival of his son, C. H. Sams, who had been summoned from this city by a message earlier in the day.

Mr. Sams' death was caused by heart trouble and his demise was entirely unexpected by his relatives and friends. He was in New Smyrna for a few hours Monday, stopping off between trains for a visit with his son, and was then apparently in good health. The first intimation of his father's illness came to C. H. Sams in the message he received the following day, and he took the first train for Titusville.

Mr. Sams was the owner of a big citrus fruit grove at Courtenay and was known throughout the state as one of the big citrus fruit men. He conducted his citrus fruit business on a scientific basis and usually attended all the conventions of citrus fruit growers.

He was a Mason of high standing, being a member of the chapter at Titusville, a member of the commandery at Daytona and a member of the shrine at Jacksonville. Last month he attended the Knights Templar conclave in Dallas, Tex., and reported a pleasant time in the Texas city. Mr. Sams was a Confederate veteran and attended the recent reunion of the Confederate veterans in Chattanooga.

He is survived by four sons and four daughters and one brother, John Sams, who lives in Titusville.

The funeral services were held at Courtenay yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock, the services being in charge of the Masons. A number of the members of the Daytona and New Smyrna lodges of Masons attended the services, driving to Titusville in automobiles.

Mrs. N. C. Crews is Dead—

Taken with a sudden attack of acute indigestion, Mrs. N. C. Crews, aged 58, died at 9 o'clock Tuesday night at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. T. Clark on Orange street.

The remains were taken Wednesday morning to her former home at Bostwick, near Palatka, where the funeral services were held and interment was made in the cemetery at that place.

Mrs. Crews has been making her home with her daughter here since the death of her husband at Bostwick about a year ago. She suffered a stroke of paralysis about a month ago and has not been in good health since that time.

She is survived by eight children as follows: Mrs. C. T. Clark, Mrs. J. E. Sweat and Mrs. Harold Chilton of New Smyrna; Mrs. A. A. McGlon of Sanford; Mrs. J. Strickland, N. C. Crews, Jr., and William Crews of Palatka and Mrs. A. Gleason of Bostwick.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Clark and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Sweat accompanied the remains to Bostwick for the funeral and interment.

Aged Woman Called Beyond—

Mrs. Mack Lockowitz, who has been a resident of New Smyrna but a few months, died Wednesday morning of the decline of old age, being 71 years of age at the time of her death.

Mrs. Lockowitz came here with her husband and son from Waynesburg, Ky., four months ago. They purchased a lot near the school building of T. J. Murray and built a home, the home having been completed but a short time ago.

She is survived by her husband and son, Annis, who is employed by J. P. Turner.

Funeral services were held yesterday and interment was made in the cemetery at Hawks Park.

C. H. Clute of Manatee says that owners of groves are missing a great deal by not keeping bees. The trees he says are not properly fertilized without the pollen carriers and recommends that every orchard have a hive or two. It would seem that the keeping of bees would be profitable, too.

SIGNED PETITIONS POURING IN TO OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

TO NAME CITY OFFICERS AT ELECTION NEXT TUESDAY

ALL VOTERS SHOULD EXERCISE RIGHT OF FRANCHISE AND CAST THEIR BALLOTS AT THE POLLS

Next Tuesday is the date for the regular city election and every qualified voter should exercise his right of citizenship by casting his ballot at the polls. In spite of the fact there is no contest for any office, and therefore little excitement in connection with the election this year, each voter should consider it a duty to exercise his right of franchise at this time.

The city ticket as made up by the city council after the caucus held in June, is as follows:

For Mayor—W. H. Newell.

For city clerk—Floyd A. Newell.

For city treasurer—D. C. Silvers.

For members of the city council—E. L. Greer, J. Kroon, George Saxon, C. A. Grimsley.

For marshal—T. J. Brooke.

The three members of the city council who will hold over are L. J. Griffin, L. B. Bouchelle and J. L. Ditson, and the four members who will be succeeded by the aldermen to be elected next Tuesday are John McCormick, E. J. Rogero, W. L Lopez and W. P. Wilkinson.

The law requires that within five days after the election there must be a special council meeting, at which time the old council adjourns sine die and the new members of the council are sworn in and the new organization perfected. It is usually customary to hold this special council meeting the same night of the election, immediately after the votes have been counted.

BOUND OVER ON CHARGE OF ILLEGAL SALE OF LIQUOR

COLORED MAN GIVEN HEARING BEFORE JUSTICE DILZER AND THEN TURNED OVER TO THE SHERIFF.

Elijah Morris, colored, was given a preliminary before Justice of the Peace Dilzer last Saturday morning on the charge of selling whiskey

From the evidence introduced it appears that Elijah met one Joe Brown, also colored, on the evening of the 18th inst, at Straughn's hall, and is alleged to have entered into a trade with Brown, whereswith Brow departed with a bottle of the "hot and unruly stuff" and Elijah with a sparkling addition to the contents of his pocket book.

Brown testified against Morris.

Elijah was bound over to the criminal court under a bond of $300.

CHORAL SOCIETY IS MAKING GOOD PROGRESS

The work of the Cecelian Choral society is progressing rapidly under the direction of Miss Vera Duss, and the weekly drills of the members at the home of Miss Muriel Galbreath are a source of much profit and entertainment for the members of the organization. The membership embraces some remarkably good musical talent. It is doubtful if there is another town in the state of Florida of the size of New Smyrna with such good musical talent, and New Smyrna is justly proud of this fact.

Just now Miss Duss is drilling the members of the choral society on "The Rose Maiden," by Frederick Cowen, and the members are making splendid progress in the training.

At the meeting of the society Tuesday night this week a varied program of vocal selections was given before and after the work laid out for the evening.

Claude Hill and family of Miami are visiting Mr. Hill's brother, Joe Hill of this city. Mr. Hill is an engineer on the Southern division of the Florida East Coast railway.

R. B. Maloy of Daytona was in the the city Wednesday on business.

RESIDENTS OF TERRITORY ANXIOUS TO MAKE SHOWING

CITY COUNCILS AND BOARDS OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS ASKED TO HELP IN RAISING NECESSARY MONEY.

sent out word had not been received of the granting of an extension of time for preparing data and statistics, and a request was sent with each petition that it be filled with signers and returned to the secretary of the New Smyrna board of trade by June 20th. During the past week these petitions have been pouring into the office of Secretary Hamilton with every mail, showing how much interested the people are in the effort to make New Smyrna a deep-sea harbor.

Judging from the way in which these signed petitions are being returned and the number still out, the committee will have the support of practically all the people living within radius of 100 miles of New Smyrna when it makes its trip to Washington for an interview with the board of engineers next month.

Ask Councils to Help—

By a resolution passed by the New Smyrna board of trade with the request that all citizens sign the appeal to the board of engineers of the United States army that a survey be made of Mosquito inlet to determine the amount of work necessary and the estimated cost of deepening the inlet, are being liberally signed by the residents of the territory which would be benefitted by the opening of the inlet.

At the time the petitions were first sent out by the New Smyrna board of trade the New Smyrna city council will be asked to help, in a financial way, the campaign to obtain statistics to prove to the board of army engineers that the deepening of the inlet would be a real benefit to the people of eastern and central Florida. The work of gathering statistics and data is costing money and the New Smyrna board of trade will be unable to bear the whole expense. In addition to this, it will cost more money to send the committee to the national capital for a hearing before the army board.

Not only will the New Smyrna city council be asked to help pay this expense, but the New Smyrna board of trade has asked the boards of trade in other cities and towns in this section to make similar requests of the councils in their cities and towns, as well as requesting the boards of county commissioners to appropriate money for this purpose.

Secretary Hamilton Busy—

Secretary Harry Hamilton of the Central Florida Deep Waterways association left New Smyrna Monday for a trip through the central part of the state gathering statistics to add to that already obtained for submission to the board of army engineers.

Mr. Hamilton had arranged for meetings of the boards of trade in advance of his departure as follows: Monday night at Orlando; Tuesday night at Kissimmee; Wednesday night at St. Cloud; Thursday night at Lakeland. Mr. Hamilton plans to be home in time for the regular meeting of the New Smyrna board of trade tonight.

MISS AGNES SHATTUCK MARRIES ISAAC POWELL.

The following communication, signed by Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Shattuck, has been received by the News:

"Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Shattuck left New Smyrna for Conyers, Ga., June 17, stopping over in Jacksonville one day to attend the W. O. W. and W. C. conventions.

"While in Jacksonville Isaac Powell of New Smyrna joined them and he and Miss Agnes Shattuck were married at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Mitchell, 1969 Main street, at 6:30 p. m., Rev. F. L. Rosenthal, head consul of the state of Georgia officiating. After a social hour, during which delicious refreshments were served by Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Powell left for Atlanta, where they will remain for five or six weeks. They will be at home about August 1."

Mrs. R. S. Shelton left Wednesday for Sanford at which place she will visit her daughter, Mrs. Alice Fitz. Mr. and Mrs. Fitz at one time were residents of New Smyrna, Mr. Fitz having been foreman of the F. E. C. round house here.

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Master Glen Crouch left Saturday for Lake Helen for a visit.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Dees last Saturday night.

*For Sale—One 22 foot launch, 5 horse power Oreole engine. Dan P. Smith, Jr. 4-3t

E. L. Greer of the New Smyrna Grocery company was in Jacksonville Friday on business.

*"EQUITY" means the best low-priced watch in America. Drop in at Day's Jewelry Store and see one.

Burton S. Ashton, formerly of New Smyrna, but now of Fort Lauderdale, spent Sunday with friends in this city.

W. W. Vincent has given up his position as shop time keeper for the F. E. C railway at this place. Hal C. Bell now holds that position.

Miss Margaret Woodall of DeLand, who has been visiting Miss Fern Hibbard for some time, returned to her home Saturday.

J. L. Bailey and wife were called to Jacksonville Saturday by a telegram stating that a near relative was not expected to live.

J. E. Ingraham, vice-president of the Florida East Coast railway, was in the city this week on his way to Miami in his yacht Kathleen.

Dr. R A. Carnine, district superintendent of the St John's river conference, of the Methodist Episcopal church, was a visitor to New Smyrna Saturday.

The members of the Whist club were entertained at the regular meeting last Monday afternoon by Mrs C. A. Grimsley. The head prize was won by Mrs. Kirby Chilton.

Mr. and Mrs. W L. Sims and Mrs. J. B. Tucker and children of Miami are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Tanner. Mrs. Tucker formerly resided here, her husband having been employed by the F. E. C railway

Mesdames E. H. Peter and E. L Anderson and sons of Dunnellon and Miss Winniefred Tucker of Ocala arrived Tuesday night and are staying at the Atlantic hotel at Coronado They will remain several weeks.

Frank Powers, formerly a well known real estate agent of this city, but now located at Cape Sable, was in the city on business the last part of last week Mr Powers is now in charge of the Florida East Coast railway's lands in the vicinity of Cape Sable.

B. A. Lopez spent Sunday in St. Augustine visiting friends.

*Standard time always at Day's Jewelry Store. See the big clock.

Mrs. S. Ross, who has been visiting in Jacksonville for several days, returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Chilton plan to spend the month of July in Mr. Dohn's cottage at Coronado Beach.

*H. B. Day, watchmaker and jeweler. Fine Watch repairing. Watch inspector for the F. E. C. railroad.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Vaughn, who have been visiting in Jacksonville for several days, returned home Tuesday.

Mrs. D. S. Whiteside, who has been visiting relatives in Galatin, Tenn., for several weeks, returned home Tuesday.

W. S. Denslow and George Lourcey left Friday for New York. Later they will probably make a tour through the west.

Earl Tanner of Miami arrived Monday and is visiting his parnts, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Tanner. He will remain several weeks.

Philip Roberts of Mims, and Miss Carrie Davis of Titusville, were quietly married in the presence of a few friends Tuesday.

C G Wakely, superintendent of the Northern division of the F. E. C., spent Sunday in St Augustine, returning to New Smyrna the first of the week.

Dr. Ray George of Atlanta arrived last Sunday and is visiting his sister, has spent most of his time here fishing and is greatly pleased with New Smyrna.

J D Rahner, general passenger agent of the Florida East Coast railway, left Monday evening for Washington, where he will spend several attending an important meeting of railroad officials

H. W. Davis of St. Augustine, head of the firm of H. W. Davis & Co, was a visitor in New Smyrna a couple of days the last part of last week. Mr. Davis has great faith in the future of New Smyrna and believes this city is destined to become the best city along the East Coast.

A. A. Buck, manager of the Brevard County Telephone company, has been in the city several days this week looking after the preparations for moving the local exchange from the quarters it has been occupying at the corner of Canal and Hillsboro streets to the new location at Canal and Magnolia streets. The work of moving the exchange and installing the big, new switchboard will be started the first of next month and Mr Buck will remain in the city until all the changes and improvements have been completed.

MRS. H. A. McCLEES FATALLY BURNED BY FLAMING CLOTHING

WELL KNOWN WOMAN DIES IN DAYTONA AS A RESULT OF FRIGHTFUL BURNS RECEIVED AT HER PENINSULA HOME.

Mrs. Harriet A. McLees, one of the early settlers of the east coast, died in Daytona at an early hour Wednesday as the result of frightful burns received at her home on the Peninsula, a few miles north of Ormond.

According to the account of the accident told by Mrs. McClees, she was engaged in burning some brush on her premises Tuesday afternoon, and the fire escaped from her control. In endeavoring to extinguish it, her clothing caught fire. She jumped into a well or cistern on the place and thus put out the flames which enveloped her, but was frightfully burned, particularly about the upper part of her body..

After extinguishing her burning clothing she crawled from the water and awaited assistance which appeard in the presence of several members of J. H. Dressner's family, neighbors, who were passing the place and noticed the fire. They extinguished the fire still burning on the place and phoned to Dr. Roy Howe, who brought the unfortunate woman to Daytona in his car and took her at her request to Dr. Klock's hospital, reaching there at about 7:00 o'clock in the evening. She died the following morning at about 3:00 o'clock. Although so fearfully burned, she was stoical and made little complaint of her suffering, it is said, and was conscious until the end.

The body was taken to the Bingham & Maley company's undertaking rooms to await instructions, an uncle being wired at Redbank, N. J., and a telegram also being forwarded to W. F. Gille, now in Michigan, who seems to have been acquainted with her business affairs.

Mrs. McClees was well known,, particularly to the older residents of this section, having lived for many years on the Peninsula north of Ormond, and for a number of years has been entirely alone. Latterly she has frequently visited Daytona. She was recently brought into public notice by her bitter opposition to the opening of the Jno. Anderson highway through her property and the land for the roadway was only secured by condemnation proceedings by the county commissioners.

Voting Contest Interesting—

The voting contest at the Palace Theatre for the best looking young lady in New Smyrna has been an interesting one from the start With the exception of one night Miss Ruth Holley has been in the lead every night and steadily increasing until she now maintains a lead of 417 votes an increase over her nearest opponent of 144 votes for Thursday night Below is the standing of the contestants up to last night

Ruth Holley	1953
Hallie Bryan	1536
Armine Robertson	1322

Ladies' Aid Meets—

The Ladies Aid of the Trinity M. E. church met last Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. V. D. Capo. The occasion was greatly enjoyed by the ladies present.

Refreshments consisting of cake and punch were served.

The Ladies Aid will meet in the church parlors next Tuesday afternoon, the meeting taking the form of a business meeting.

Took Important Part on Program—

Miss Maud Holley, who returned last week from St. Augustine, where she has been a student at St. Joseph's academy, had an important part in the annual commencement program of that educational institution Miss Holley appeared on the program twice as pianist and her renditions were highly pleasing to the large audience which attended the commencement exercises.

Woman's Club to Meet—

The Woman's Club of New Smyrna will meet at 3 o'clock this afternoon in the Union church. The main business to be discussed is the matter of the thorough cleaning and fumigating of the school house. Mr. Branning will give a talk to the members, telling some of the things the club might do for the school, and he will also be prepared to answer questions that may arise concerning school work. All interested in the welfare of the New Smyrna school are requested to attend th's meeting.

COMMITTEE SOLICITING FUNDS FOR CAMPAIGN

The ways and means committee of the board of trade, which has been soliciting funds with which to carry on the campaign for statistics to be presented to the board of army engineers, has been calling on the citizens of New Smyrna for financial help during the past couple of days, and has been meeting with fair success The committee has been divided into two parts, one taking the territory north of Canal street

This is a matter of vital importance to every citizen of New Smyrna and the members of the committee should be given liberal financial encouragemnet by all the people. It is not necessary to await the visit of the committee, but remittances may be sent to the secretary of the board of trade.

SANFORD PEOPLE PLAN TO HOLD BIG CELEBRATION

Seminole county is issuing a neat invitation to citizens of this section of the state to attend a celebration in Sanford July 4th, the celebration to commemorate the birth of the new county The invitations are printed in the usual form of polite invitations and Mayor W. H. Newell received one this week addressed to the mayor, members of the city council and citizens of New Smyrna.

In honor of the victory gained in the legislature when Seminole county with Sanford as the county seat, was created a few weeks ago, the citizens of Sanford propose to make the celebration a memorable one in the history of the Celery City It is probable that a large number of the citizens of New Smyrna will plan to attend and enjoy the celebration of the national independence day in Sanford.

Mrs. G. R. McGlon and children, who have been visiting Mrs. McGlon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L McDonald of Port Orange, returned home Saturday.

TRACTION ENGINE TAKEN OUT ON THE DeLAND ROAD

BROKEN AXLE REPLACED AND MACHINE PUT IN OPERATION BY STATE AGENT, PETER WIENAND.

The traction engine ordered by the county commissioners for road working purposes, which arrived about two weeks ago with the front axle broken, was put in commission Tuesday by State Agent Peter Wienand, who had it in operation on the streets Wednesday It was taken out on the DeLand road where it will be put in use. A new axle had been forwarded by the manufacturers to replace that broken in transit and soon after its arrival Mr. Wienand had the tractor in shape for business. He is very sanguine that it will prove entirely satisfactory for the work for which it was ordered by the commissioners and looks forward to the use of large numbers of the tractors in the Everglades farming lands for ploughing and other work.

The tractor is capable of a speed of about four miles an hour and looks as though it might move right along with any load that was put upon it.

Kingston

KINGSTON, June 25.—Mrs. G. W. Rich returnbd home on Thursday of last week from a six-weeks' visit with relatives and friends at Lake City, Providence, Lake Butler, Palatka, and other places in Columbia, Bradford, and Putnam counties. She reports a very pleasant trip but is glad to be home again in the prettiest town in the state.

G. A. Douglass of Arch Creek, Fla., accompanied by his brother, Chester, and his son, Master Urie, were pleasant visitors in Kingston last week, guests of their aunt, Mrs Rich. Mr. Douglass was on a business trip, negotiating the sale of his farm on West Second avenue.

The lawn social and watermelon party, given in honor of Miss Mae Orr, who is living with her brother on West Main street, Tuesday evening of this week, on the Ferndale grounds was quite a success. About 40 young people of Kingston and Holly Hill, assembled and after enjoying themselves with parlor and lawn games until late hour, the wagon load of fine melons procured by Marion McKenzie were carved and served in the yard lighted up by numerous Japanese lanterns. Miss Orr was comparatively a stranger here up to this time, but henceforth has quite an extensive acquaintance.

Leisurely.

"The hired man fell off the fence down in the meadow lot just now!" "Had he hit the ground when you left?"—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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The editor of the Tavares Herald explains the high cost of living in this forceful and truthful way "Yes these are hard times We raise dogs and buy hogs; grow weeds and buy vegetables."

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Every citizen of Brevard county should do what he can to help New Smyrna get Mosquito inlet opened. Remember we can't have too many inlets along the coast for our own good, no matter where they are located.—Eau Gallie Record.

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Most likely in ninety-nine out of a hundred cases the people who complain that their local merchants do not keep a larger and more varied stock of goods are those who seldom or never patronize home merchants but who send to department or mail order houses for everything they want, even if be bot a twenty-five cent whip. Such people are enough to ruin any town. It is in the fitness of things that those same people are always loudest in running down the place in which they live.—Gadsden County Times.

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NEW SMYRNA HARBOR

The government army engineers have practically turned down the harbor improvements at New Smyrna, on the grounds of "not business to warrant," and that hustling town is tightening up her gearings to show 'em. Better save your vitality, neighbor. That is just a convenience rather than a reason. Have you compared your shipping tonage with St. Lucie inlet? Who would ever charge that the latter had gotten $100,000 for harbor improvements because of the great tonnage demands. Get a half dozen Pittsburg and Philadelphia millionaires to slip their private yachts into Mosquito inlet and the tonnage question will be eliminated. Army officers enjoy yachting much more largely than they do the shipment of citrus fruits, pineapples and tomatoes. There are others than you, on Florida waterways, who have hit the rocks, but they are just keeping their heads shut, conforming to the law of the conservation of energy.—Fort Lauderdale Herald.

We are taking your advice, brother, and comparing our shipping tonnage with that of St. Lucie. That is just what we desire the board of army engineers to do, also.

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Over in Kissimmee the mayor has issued a proclamation designating July 17 as "clean-up day," and the citizens of the city are falling in with the idea in good style. Every person in Kissimmee is expected to get into the harness with hoes, shovels, rakes, scythes, etc., and by night the city is expected to present such a changed appearance every person in the town will feel in duty bound to go home and take a bath before walking along any of the streets. It's the enterprising cities which pull off these enterprising stunts. How about New Smyrna?

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CLEAN UP YOUR LOTS

The suggestion that every real estate owner within the city limits, whether resident at this time or not, should make it a point to clean up his property, removing all weeds and filth of every discription, is very timely. There is nothing which gives a city a neater appearance, or makes a quicker favorable impression on a stranger than neat, well-kept lawns and vacant lots well cleared and cleaned. This gives the impression that the residents are thrifty, have some pride in the appearance of their home city and are willing to expent a little energy or money to have the city make a favorable impression on visitors, as well as making it a more desirable place in which to live. There is a city ordinance in New Smyrna requiring owners to keep all lots, as well as sidewalks and parkages, clean and free from noxious weeds, but the pride of citizens should make the enforcement of such an ordinance unnecessary. Let's all make it a point to clean up, and stay clean.

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REPULSIVE PROCEDURE

Repulsive to every sentiment or decency is the procedure that has been adopted regarding the remains of the late E. O. Painter. The Tribune formerly expressed itself on the manner in which the body had been butchered and the vital organs shipped across the country for expert examination. That examination has been concluded and the experts have pronounced the organs free of any traces of poisoning, thus disposing of the suicide theory which was advanced by the insurance companies. All this was bad enough, but now witness the spectacle of an appeal to the courts and the securing of an injunction by an insurance company to prohibit the chemists from disposing of the organs, in order that the company may have another examination made.

Meantime we have the story from Jacksonville that six ghouls are in that city for the purpose of robbing the grave and removing the remainder of the body, and it has been found necessary to place a guard in the cemetery to prevent this desecration.

Right-thinking people everywhere will denounce the conduct of the insurance companies in this matter They have a right, of course, to safeguard their own interests, but there are proper and decent ways of doing all things. The report of eminent chemists that no traces of poison can be found ought, at the utmost, to settle the matter. But a Baltimore company has gone further and brought the remains into court in a persistent effort to discover something that will afford it a shadow of excuse for not paying the amount of policy which it willingly accepted and which it is pledged to pay.

It all reverts to a mere matter of money after all. Our most sacred possessions count for naught when there are dollars involved. The solemnity of death is hurled aside and the grave is violated to get money or to save it.—Tampa Tribune.

OTHER NEWSPAPERS GIVE OPINIONS ...OF THE NEW SMYRNA NEWS...

Credit to the Town—

The New Smyrna News has reached our table. H. L. Rood is editor, and the paper is a credit to the town in which it is published.—Monticello News.

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Rood—But Can't Help It—

The News, a new weekly paper of New Smyrna, makes its appearance this week with a very Rood man (Harry L.) as editor.—Palm Beach County.

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Credit to New Smyrna—

The first edition of the New Smyrna News came out last week, and is a breezy up-to-date newspaper and will be a credit to that city. The publisher is Mr. Rood, a hustling live wire.—Fort Pierce News.

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News Gladly Welcomed—

The first edition of the New Smyrna News came out this week, and contains all city and adjacent town news. The owner and editor, Mr. Rood, is a live, hustling man, and the News is gladly welcomed to this little city.—Jacksonville Metropolis.

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One of Leading Weeklies—

The News is a new publication started at New Smyrna, the past week, with Messrs. Fitzgerald and Rood as editor and publishers. It presents a splendid appearance, and easily ranks as one of the leading weeklies of Florida.—Fort Pierce Tribune.

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The News is a Booster—

H. L. Rood has begun the publication of the New Smyrna News with its slogan as "Deep Water." The News is a booster and seldom do we see a weekly paper with as neat a typographical arrangement. Editor Rood, The News, and New Smyrna all have our best wishes.—Plant City Courier.

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An Appreciated Visitor—

The New Smyrna News is the name of a new paper which has recently begun publication. The two issues that have so far reached us are excellent ones. Editor Rood wrote us that he wished to exchange, but if his paper became stale and tiresome, we could cut him off; we assure him that if the first two issues are an index to what is to follow, the News will always be one of our most appreciated visitors.—Madison Enterprise-Record.

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The News is Newsy—

Volume 1, No. 1, of the New Smyrna News made its appearance last Friday in a six column eight page form and judging by the looks of this first issue it will live up to the name of "News" without any trouble. H. L. Rood, a capable newspaper man, is editor of the News. Here's to the "Rood-News" combination, may they long live and make good."—Eau Gallie Record.

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From Far Away Nebraska—

The Journal is adding a new paper to the exchange list, the New Smyrna News, published in far-away Florida. It will be edited, owned and managed by Harry L. Rood and his wife, the latter being well known in Ord, as Miss Belle Thorngate. Mr. Rood is a veteran newspaper man and has been editor of the Daytona (Florida) Daily News for several seasons.—Ord (Nebraska) Journal.

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Tampa Tribune Wishes Success—

The New Smyrna News has made its appearance, edited by H. L. Rood, a bright young newspaper man who has been doing good work on the East Coast. The paper is especially notable for its admirable arrangemen and classification of news and it is also typographically neat and classy. The News has a good field and has the best wishes of The Tribune for its success.—Tampa Tribune.

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New Smyrna's New Paper—

The New Smyrna News made its appearance last week and it is a bright, newsy, paper and a credit to the town. We welcome the News, not as a competitor, but as a co-worker for the up-building of New Smyrna. The News is edited by Harry L. Rood, an experienced newspaper man. While the town is small for two newspapers the News is bound to succeed because Mr. Rood will help to make business where there was none before. It can now be said that New Smyrna has two up-to-date newspapers that are worthy the support of the business men.—New Smyrna Breeze.

Praise from State Press—

The News is a new publication commencing to issue in New Smyrna. We have not seen a copy of it yet, but from the many praises it is receiving from the state press, it must be a good sheet.—Brooksville Argus.

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Ahead of Procession—

New Smyrna has a new paper now, the News, of which Harry L. Rood is the editor. Brother Rood will give the people of that section a paper a little ahead of the procession and it is hoped that they will appreciate it enough to make it a financial success.—Dartona Halifax Journal.

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One of Good Publications—

The New Smyrna News is the name of a handsomely printed and up-to-date newspaper that has appeared on our exchange table, printed of course at New Smyrna, from which it takes its name. The News comes in full six-column quarto size and bids fair to stand as one of the good publications of Florida.— Fort Myers Press.

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Not Stranded Yet—

The New Smyrna News is the latest journalistic candidate for public favor. It is a six column, eight page, paper and chock full of news matters, able editorials and spicy locals. H. L. Rood is editor and manager. It is too costly a paper for the town in which it is published and unless the owner has "a barrel" he must take in some sail or be stranded.—Jasper News.

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Successful Career Predicted—

Number one of the New Smyrna News, published at New Smyrna, Fla., edited by H. L. Rood, has made its appearance on our desk. It is neat typographically and is jammed full of news and advertisements. If the first issue is any criterion of its future, we predict a successful career for the new paper. It is an improvement over the average state weekly. We welcome The News in the journalistic field, and wish for its publisher a deservedly good patronage.—West Palm Beach News.

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Howdy—

Volume 1, No. 1, of the New Smyrna, (Fla.) News is a new exchange that comes to our desk. Harry L. Rood, son of G. B. Rood of Milton, and recently with the Beloit Free Press, is editor and manager, which makes it a safe wager that the new sheet will be a success.—Milton Junction (Wisconsin) Journal-Telephone.

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Credit to the Cause—

We were, a few days ago, requested by Harry L. Rood of New Smyrna to place The New Smyrna News on our mailing list, as he said this newspaper would make its bow to the public this week. We welcome brother Rood to the journalistic field and although we only received a card from his pen we feel sure that he will do credit to the cause. Here's success to him.—Mayo Free Press.

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Looks Like a Success—

Volume 1, Number 1, of the New Smyrna News arrived last Saturday morning bright and early. Harry L. Rood, formerly editor of the Daytona Daily News, is the editor and manager and he has already made good. The News carries a heavy advertising list and it looks as if it was going to be the biggest kind of a success. The Times is not the youngest paper on the coast any more; we have given up that title to the New Smyrna News.—Stuart Times.

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Enters Good Field—

The first issue of the New Smyrna News made its appearance at that city today and will be issued hereafter Friday of each week. The New Smyrna News is an eight page six column publication, devoted to the interests of New Smyrna and the section generally and carries all the county seat news of importance. While it enters upon a field already occupied, it has the hearty support of the business men and citizens of New Smyrna, which is growing rapidly and should furnish a good field for two papers. The New Smyrna News is edited and managed by H. L. Rood, an experienced newspaper man, for the past three seasons associated with the Daytona Daily News. The new paper carries a heavy advertising patronage. It's slogan is "Deep Water."—Daytona Gazette-News.

With an enthusiastic boost of trade and two live newspapers working night and day on the Mosquito inlet proposition, it looks like New Smyrna would get the deep water harbor she is after.—Eau Gallie Record.

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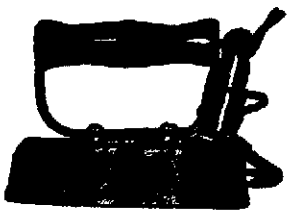

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PULPIT TOPICS

M. E. Church, South—

Sunday school at 10 a. m., G. L. rahning, superintendent; preaching service at 7:30 p. m., sermon by Rev. G. L. Day. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p. m., at the home of Mrs. Skipper; topic, "The Price of Spiritual Power." Visitors and strangers welcome.

W. A. FISCHER, pastor.

Congregational Church—

Services at the Congregational Church Sunday. Sunday school 10 a. m. morning service 11 o'clock, sermon topic "What the Church stands for." Evening service 7 30, sermon topic: "Who answers when God calls." You are cordially invited to all of these services.

H. H. JONES, pastor.

NEWS AROUND THE STATE.

As a result of a row over a few cents in change, Sam Hamilton, a negro, was shot and wounded in a store at Hastings Saturday. He was shot by an unknown negro. According to the story, the negro made a cent purchase in the store and was given back a dime in change, having presented a quarter in payment. He said that he had offered a 50 cent piece instead of a quarter and raised a row about it Sam Hamilton made the assertion that he saw the coin and it was only a quarter. The other negro left but soon returned and fired at Hamilton. One bullet struck him in the wrist and another in the groin. He will live.

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A meeting was held a few days ago in Miami for the purpose of organizing the South Florida Fruit and Packing company and the completion of arrangements for the erection of the necessary buildings and manufacturing plant. The field of operations of the company will be the packing of fruit for shipment and the preparation of the juice and other by-products of the inferior grades of fruit that are not fit for shipping. It is the desire and purpose of the promoters to interest growers as well as business men in the venture, so that all classes will co-operate for its success. Application for articles of incorporation will be made just as soon as the necessary legal formalities can be gone through with.

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At a recent meeting of the directors of the Orange County Fair association, held in Orlando, it was decided to embrace the counties of Lake, Volusia, Osceola and Seminole and invite them to join with Orange and have a Sub-Tropical Mid-Winter Exposition.

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When Florida people go north for the summer it is not because the summer climate of Florida is not as pleasant as they can find, but because the summer months are the only time they can have pleasant weather at their old homes up north. It doesn't get as hot in southern Florida as it does sometimes in northern Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota and other northern border states, and the nights here are simply delightful.—Orlando Citizen.

Size and Quality.

The largest bottle may not hold the best wine nor the biggest limousine the sweetest bunch of loveliness.

THREE PARTIES DEMAND VISCERA OF E. O. PAINTER

STRUGGLE IN COURT OVER THE REMAINS OF THE LATE FERTILIZER KING—LITIGATION IN BALTIMORE.

An Associated Press dispatch from Baltimore under date of June 24th, says:

"Coroner C. D. Abbott of Jacksonville, and former Judge Isaac A. Stewart, of DeLand, Fla., the latter personal representative of the family of the late E. O. Painter, the fertilizer manufacturer who lost his life in the St. John's river recently at Jacksonville, arrived here today to take part in the three-cornered legal contest for the possession of the viscera of the dead man.

"The third party to the struggle is the United States Fidelity & Guaranty Co., of Baltimore, which issued an accident policy for $20,000 to Painter. The contending factions will meet later in the circuit court here, when the bonding company will demand that the organs be placed in the hands of a receiver on the ground that the chemist's analysis has not been completed. The company wants an independent examination made.

"Judge Stewart will contend that the analysis has been finished, no trace of poison found and that the organs should be given to the family. Coroner Abbott will demand that the organs be turned over to him, on the theory that the body of the deceased, heart, kidneys, stomach and all, are his property until his official verdict is given.

"The coroner brought a deputy sheriff with him armed with the authority of the state of Florida to seize the organs.

"Painter carried life insurance to more than $1,100,000 at the time of his death.

"Under the theory that he might have taken poison before falling into the water, Coroner Abbott sent his viscra to a Baltimore chemist for analysis The chemist recently reported that while he found no trace of poison, his examination did not show that there was hardening of the arteries."

BECKWITH SUBMITS TONNAGE FIGURES.

Complying with a request for information to be presented to the board of army engineers, bearing on the amount of probable commerce to be expected through New Smyrna inlet, Vice-President J. P Beckwith, of the Florida East Coast railway, has furnished the Daytona board of trade with figures showing the amount of freight handled in this locality for the yar ending June 30, 1912. The figures were submitted at the regular meeting of the board of trade last Friday evening, and show the tonnage for the year as follows: Daytona, 29,481 tons; Ormond, 5,269 tons; New Smyrna, 14,768 tons.

When to Judge a Man.

There is an ancient saying, famous among men, that thou shouldst not judge fully of a man's life before he dieth, whether it should be called blest or wretched.—Sophocles.

Making for Popularity.

In a small town a popular woman is one who is willing to loan her palm to the neighbor who is giving a party.

AN OPEN APPEAL TO NORTHERN NEWS READERS

Northern readers of the New Smyrna News who have the interests of New Smyrna at heart and would like to see this city and this section of the state grow and prosper, are requested by the New Smyrna board of trade to do what they can to boost along the effort to have the government deepen Mosquito inlet, so that ocean-going vessels may enter and depart from this city as a harbor.

In the effort to induce the board of engineers of the United States army to order a preliminary survey for the purpose of determining the amount of work necessary and the cost of making the water deep enough for large vessels, the board of trade is having circulated a large number of petitions, asking the board of army engineers to look with favor upon the project of opening Mosquito inlet to deep sea navigation, and these petitions are being liberally signed by the citizens throughout the eastern and central sections of Florida, which would be benefited by opening the inlet.

Along with this effort to help boost, northern readers are asked to clip the copy of this petition which follows and circulate it among friends and neighbors for the purpose of obtaining signatures. When they are secured, mail the signed petition to Secretary H. I. Hamilton of the New Smyrna board of trade. If there is not room enough on this petition write Secretary Hamilton for another petition. These petitions must be in Secretary Hamilton's hands not later than July 15,

Clip this petition.

We, the undersigned citizens, property holders, residents, registered voters, and shippers, most respectfully petition your honorable body, The Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors, to look with favor upon the opening of Mosquito inlet to deep sea navigation that we may be relieved from the heavy yoke now placed upon us in the shape of excessive freight rates, and that our fair country may, through this means of better transportation facilities, be made to produce to its full capacity:

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C. H. SAMS

New Smyrna Florida

LAKE HELEN

LAKE HELEN, June 24.— Harry, Jean and Glynn Crouch of New Smyrna have been visiting Mrs. W. L. Niven for the past week.

Miss Blackiston, our school teacher, has just returned from New Smyrna

The young people of Lake Helen gave a dance Friday evening in Hopkins' hall in honor of Mr Patterson, who was to go away for a visit with his parents at Cocoa. He returned next day, saying he likes Lake Helen better than Cocoa. Wonder why?

Our beautiful lakes, surrounding Lake Helen, are an attraction for many visitors, and the young people especially enjoy the bathing.

The Municipal Ice company of Lak Helen is furnishing the F. E. C railway with a ton of ice each day. The ice is an excellent quality.

Our little town looks quite citified with the electric lights on every street. Half of the houses in the town have been wired for the lights, Bob Shumway, our electrician, doing the work.

We will soon have city water in practically all of the homes, which will boom Lake Helen and attract many visitors this way.

Miss Gertrude Scammel of DeLand is visiting Miss Esther Newton.

The Baptist church held its Children's day exercises Sunday evening. The church was filled and the children who took part in the exercises were a credit to Lake Helen talent.

Watermelons are ripe. as the colored people who go marching by with melons on their shoulders, can testify.

Lawrence Mace and family are visiting Mrs. Mace's parents. Mr. Mace will build a boat while he is away.

Albert Hyman has gone to the central part of Georgia to pack peaches. We are in hopes he will remember his friends with a box once in awhile.

The Literary society of Lake Helen met with Mrs. Russell Monday evening, Mrs. J. H. Hunt winning first prize, a beautiful picture of a cat. Mrs. Gillette won second prize and the second cat looked like it had the toothache.

Paul Johnson of DeLand is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hibbard. Mr. Johnson come over from DeLand in his automobile.

G. M. Barber and G. J. Hobbs of this city went up to Daytona yesterday on bicycles to witness the baseball game there between Daytona and Hastings.

Simplicity and Depth.

Simplicity of character is the natural result of profound thought.—Hazlitt.

That Boy Again.

The Boy (company present)— "Mother, will the dessert hurt me tonight, or is there enough to go round?" —London Opinion.

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NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

Port Orange

MRS. J. L. PATTILLO, Correspondent

PORT ORANGE, June 25.—The trustees of the public school have arranged for the pupils to have access to the school library during the summer months. Mrs. J. B Case always a friend to the children, can be found at the school building from three to four o'clock every Tuesday afternoon.

While Port Orange will observe the Fourth only in a very quiet way, it is hoped that all our people will come together, as has been arranged for, and enjoy a genial social day, every one bringing a full basket.

Because of the indisposition of his little granddaughter Mr. Vinsant and family returned to DeLand Saturday afternoon.

Leon Sparkman ran over to DeLand by motorcycle last week to attend court, and also for a little visit with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Alexander at Beresford.

Rev. H. E. Partridge, having been called by his presiding elder to go elsewhere and preside at a quarterly conference, did not fill his usual fourth Sunday morning appointment here at the Methodist church this month.

Owing to the smallness of numbers and the intense heat of the summer, the Methodist Sunday school has recessed for the third quarter but will re-open as usual on the first Sunday in October.

Mrs. Frank Pattillo entertained the children of her Sunday school class with a lawn party at her home on Ridgewood avenue last Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Charles Milburn was hostess for the Good Times Club at their last meeting, and this week Mrs. T. M. Bangs, with her attractive daughters will entertain.

A saw mill plant, on the site formerly occupied by the Lufbery Fiber factory, is our latest enterprise and it is understood a grist and rice mill will be run in connection with same. The W. V. Carter Co. is the owner and manager of the new enterprise.

After an absence of several years our former citizen and depot agent, Willis Johnson, is with us for a week's rest. It goes without saying that everybody in the town is glad to see Willis.

J. Wesley Johnson of Daytona, spent Sunday with his brother and sister at this place.

Mrs. G. O. Scott was a week-end visitor to Daytona.

Mrs. Mary C. Karn leaves Wednesday of this week for the old home in Burkettsville, Md., to carry back to its last resting place the remains of her late husband which have been in the receiving vault at Daytona since his death in the early part of last January. Mrs. Karn will remain in Maryland through the summer, returning here some time in October.

Mrs. Zimmerman writes from Chicago that the heat there is almost unbearable and that she wishes she was back on the east coast of Florida.

Coronado

CORONADO, June 25—We are very grieved to learn of the death of J. P. Delahunty, Sr., of Pittston, Pa., better known in Coronado as Uncle Joe. Although 90 years of age Uncle Joe made some great records catching fish during his last winter here. The only golden sea bass ever caught was hooked and landed by Uncle Joe. Another great catch was an enormous cat fish which required two persons to land it, and when landed it actually weighed six pounds. When it came to telling stories Uncle Joe had no equal. Mr. Delauhnty was a famous inventor, having over 50 valuable patents to his credit.

Mr. and Mrs. Dunham who expected to rmain here all summer, were called to their home in Detroit, Mich., on business Sunday.

Mrs. W. H. Alcott arrived home from Jacksonville on the Swan Tuesday night.

Dr. Francis Dickinson, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Thursby and two children, left Saturday for their home in Orange City. They had a pleasant week in their cottage on the beach.

W. L. Cooper has the contract for lowering Mrs. Goodwin's cottage.

The Work We Love.

To business that we love we rise betime, and go to't with delight.—Shakespeare.

Ormond

J. A. REILLY, Correspondent

ORMOND, June 25.—On Tuesday evening a very pretty wedding was solemnized at the Union church, when Miss Agnes Waldron and Philip Fagen were united in marriage by Dr. John N. Richmond, assisted by the Rev. George B. Waldron. The bride was gowned in white net, trimmed with shadow lace over white and carried pink roses Aaron B Kimball acted as best man and David Seabloom as groomsman. The two flower girls, little Thelma Wyllie and Annie Carnell, were dressed in white. The ushers were Francis and Leslie Waldron, brothers of the bride, Arthur Fagen, brother of the groom and Harry Wyllie Miss Ethel Francis played the wedding march. A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Waldron, Lincoln avenue, for the immediate family and attendants. The bride was the recipient of many lovely gifts. Mr. and Mrs. Fagen will live in the Osceola cottage.

A. W. Street left Monday morning for South Manchester, Conn., where he will spend the summer. Philip Fagen accompanied him as far as Jacksonville.

Mrs. Harriet McClees, while burning rubbish in her yard Tuesday afternoon was very badly burned. The fire got beyond her control and in her attempt to prevent it from reaching the house her clothing caught on fire. Clifford, Robert and Jennine Dressner, who were passing the McClees' place, saw the fire and extinguished it. They then telephoned to Dr. Howe, who found Mrs. McClees in a very dangerous condition. She was taken to Dr. Klock's hospital, where she died early Wednesday morning.

Dredge No. 3, south of the Ormond Bridge, is working night and day, widening and deepening the channel, so that it will be 60 feet wide and five feet deep at low tide and six feet deep at high tide, thus avoiding the trouble and confusion boat owners have had in the past.

Geoorge Carlton, who has been spending several weeks in the north, returned home Wednesday morning.

Work is soon to be commenced on Mrs. Wilson Miller's new house on Highland avenue. The lot has been cleared and some of the building material has alrady arrived.

Mrs. Grace Lowe, wife of Herbert Lowe of Jacksonville, died Monday morning after an illness of several weeks. Mr. Lowe's mother has been with him several days. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lowe on receiving word, left Monday morning.

John Feitz returned from DeLand the first of the week, his sentence for selling wine being suspended. One day last week, Deputy Sheriff Joe Davis, and others poured on the ground about 2,000 gallons of wine found in the cellar.

Mrs. A. E. Cussack, who has been in Dr. Klock's hospital for several weeks, has returned home.

Norman McNary and Lawrence Rigby found a turtle crawl of about 175 eggs one evening last week.

Attorney and Mrs. James E. Alexander and family of DeLand, were in Ormond on Friday. They came over by auto.

Three of Ormond's staunch citizens served on the jury in DeLand last week. They were Messrs. McNeal, Maas and Davis.

Macon Thornton is in Jacksonville looking after business interests in that city. He expects to return about July 1st, when Mrs. Thornton and Burwell will arrive also.

J. G. Daub of Duluth, Minn., has purchased the Carnell gardens. He has rented a house in Ormond and expects to have his family here in a few weeks.

The Hastings ball team will play Ormond on the home grounds Friday afternoon.

We are informed that the Thomas Fitch grant is likely to pass into the hands of a New York concern. We hope they will be able to do business.

Not Many.

"Women are living longer than they did a generation ago," says a statistical authority. Yes, but will they own up to being any older?—Exchange.

Always Aggravating.

When a man loses because he failed to act in accordance with his convictions he feels doubly aggrieved if he cannot blame it on his wife.

Holly Hill

HOLLY HILL, June 24.—Mrs. W. B. McCoy and daughter, Mrs. J. J. Crowe, left last Thursday to spend the day and night with friends in Ormond, and Friday morning took the early train for Jacksonville, where they took the steamship Arapahoe. At Charleston they were joined by Dr. J. J. Crowe, who will accompany them to New York, where they will spend the summer in various parts of the state, visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Richards left Tuesday morning for Macon, Ga., where they will visit for a month or six weeks, with their son, E. A. Richards, Jr., and family.

Mrs W. J. Harding came up from Cocoa Saturday to take care of her father's, E. A. Richards, place while he is absent.

Miss Ida Peterson, who has been visiting her brother, Edwin Peterson, for about two months, left Thursday for her home in Pierson.

Quite a number of friends of Thos. Wetherell enjoyed a "fish fry" given by him Saturday night.

The F. F. society spent a very enjoyable afternoon at Mrs. W. H. Edmondson's last Wednesday.

The Union Sunday school has just received some new song books and the young folks are taking quite an interest in learning some of the new songs.

Kenneth Heath launched his boat last week. The newly installed engine works very satisfactorily, giving the boat a speed of between 12 and 15 miles per hour.

Justine's Rest Hour.

"If I throw a plate down every five minutes that will be enough to make madame think I am working all the time."—Pele Mele.

Boil the Water First!

Health authorities now declare that the finger bowl is full of germs. Never drink from the finger bowl.—Detroit Free Press.

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Seabreeze

MRS. H. A. BERNARD, Correspondent

SEABREEZE, June 26—H. F. Stewart will build a two-story residence on his beach lot on the northeast corner of Earl street and Atlantic avenue. Building material is being placed on the ground by the contractor, E. E. Johnson, and work will begin this week. The residence will contain nine rooms—five bed rooms—and a basement for laundry and heating purposes, and will be in readiness for family occupancy against the opening of the winter season. This is the 11th new house either in the course of constructinon or just completed within the town limits, not to mention the $50,000 addition to the Princess Issena, which is going forward rapidly, the 35-room boarding house being erected by Fred G. Stuart on North Grandview avenue and numerous improvements and remodeling which goes forward every summer. And this is not all. If half of the talked-of other new homes or cottages are actualized, the building list will have doubled in size by the coming season. Seabreeze is in the race all right.

Off for Summer Vacation—

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Williams of North Halifax avenue, left Monday morning on a two-months' vacation for Detroit, Mich., Canada, and other points in the states. Their first objective point is Detroit where they will visit Mrs. Williams' sister. Later they will take a short tour into Canada, returning by way of New York and Philadelphia, near which latter place they will stop for a short visit with Mr. and Mrs John Dates, Seabreeze winter residents. While Mr. Williams is away the Williams' department store will be in charge of J. R. Tomlinson.

Home Again—

Dr. and Mrs. T. F. Evernden and daughter, Miss Mary, came home from Hastings last week and are occupying their home on Oakridge boulevard for a couple of months. Miss Evernden, who is a general favorite in Seabreeze, has been drector of music in one of the colleges of North Georgia. Dr. Evernden has not been in good health for several months past, so they decided to try the tonicky seabreezes of their home town. Their many friends are extending to them a hearty welcome to City Beautiful.

General News Notes—

Mr. and Mrs. Eberhart have leased the Darby cottage through Kenney & Courtney, and are now in possession. Mr. and Mrs. Eberhart came down from the new town of Volusia, Mr. Eberhart being a member of the Volusia Development Co.

Prof. D. D. Davis and family returned Saturday from their vacation trip to DeLand and other interior points in the state, and are at their home on North Peninsula drive.

H. F. Evernden and friend, C. Bachelder, came down from Hastings Saturday by car and remained over until Monday at the Evernden home. Mr. Evernden is station agent at Hastings, and will take his annual vacation next month with his parents at Seabreeze.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Suddarth, who were called here by the illness of her uncle, the late E. F. Britton, will not return to Columbia, S. C., for several weeks yet. They will remain at the Glenwood during their stay.

Mrs. Merryday and her young son, Harlow, will go over to Palatka to celebrate the Fourth.

Mr. and Mrs. Weaver, who were here from Gainesville a short time last summer, are now occupying the Martin cottage on Atlantic avenue, recently purchased by Miss Shepherd.

C. M. Rogers and family of Loughman, this state, are making a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Wagnon on North Atlantic avenue. Mr. Rogers is Mrs. Wagnon's brother.

Rev. Mr. Partridge and family came over from Kingston last week and are occupying the Wigwam on North Seabreeze beach for a month. Mr. Partridge is pastor in charge of the M. E. Church, South, at Kingston.

H. L. Merryday, who is taking the course at the Jefferson Medical college in Philadelphia, is expected home on his vacation this week, and will join his parents at the Bonnie Doon cottage. He is in bad health.

Miss Eleanor Bly of DeLand, came over from the county seat Friday and joined Miss Julia Stewart and Mrs. H. L. Kochersperger at the latter's home for an indefinite stay.

C. C. Gillett left Monday for his old stamping ground in Pennsylvania. When he left he was undecided as to the length of his absence. It is being whispered around "there's a lady in the case."

Mrs. J. B. Abercrombie disposed of her stock of fancy goods while she was in Sanford last week. She was busy several days on her return packing and on Monday shipped the goods to the consignee.

The Miami party Messrs. J. A. and L. Burgman, and Wilcox, reached Miami Sunday.

Howard Williams after a little over a week's visit with relatives in Seabreeze left Thursday on his return to Jacksonville.

Mrs. H. S. Morrison came over from New Cassadaga last week and is occupying her home on the corner of Oakridge boulevard and Peninsula drive. Mrs. Collins of Cleveland, O., joined her Sunday to remain until Saturday, when both will return to Cassadaga.

Mrs. Morrison's brother, Bert Spencer and mother, Mrs. Spencer, brought Mrs. Collins over in their car. They spent the day with Mrs. Morrison and returned to New Cassadaga Sunday evening.

C. F. Burgman went up to Jacksonville Saturday morning, remaining over until Sunday afternoon.

R. T. Butler, who stopped off in East Arkansas to visit a brother, is now in Hot Springs, Ark., taking the baths.

The item of Mrs. J. W. Williams' return from Umatilla was in some way overlooked last week. She returned with Mr. Williams, her health very little, if any, improved by her stay in Umatilla.

Rev. and Mrs. E. J. Ranslow left Tuesday afternoon for Swanton, Vt., their home town. They were greatly pleased with the specimen of Florida summer enjoyed here this season.

E. B. Mott, who was called to Schenectady, N. Y., on business last month, in a recent letter to Mrs. Mott, said he had been suffering with a severe cold, and would be glad to get back to Dixieland. He expects to return early in September.

Mr. McLane and bride, who returned from their boat trip south last week, are prettily domiciled in Wetherby cottage No. 2 for the summer.

Mr. McGill, who came over from Lake Helen Saturday night to spend the week end with his wife at the Garfield cottage, accompanied Bert Spencer and his mother home in their car Sunday aftrnoon.

A card from Mrs. J. S. Hotchkiss, mailed at Shanghai, China, gives a picture and tells of an interesting visit to the public building where the examinations, lasting from three to seven days, were held on Confucius ethics. The cells or stalls are three by four feet, and men up to 80 years of age stood these examinations, no one being allowed to hold public office without this degree. These examinations have within the last few years been abolished by edict. Mrs. Hotchkiss also speaks of the special car given her party to Nanking and the steamer trip up the Yangtse river.

Mrs. Lida Thomas and sister, Miss Gussie Curtis, leave the last of the week, Friday or Saturday for Atlanta, Ga., to spend the summer. Mrs. Thomas will conduct the Mayfield again next season.

Daytona Beach

MRS. H. A. BERNARD, Correspondent

DAYTONA BEACH, June 26—A new two-story residence is being erected by George Sweeney at the south end of his lot on th corner of Coates and Harvey streets The house fronts on Harvey street, has plenty of porch room and otherwise is modern and substantial in appearance.

At the Seashell Cottage—

A bunch of six beautiful maidens came up from Miami last week and are pleasantly domiciled at the Seashell cottage on Ocean beach. They are, Misses Mattair, Goode, Rochers, McCluney, Spruill and Swain, chaperoned by Mrs. A. C. Swain, the mother of Miss Swain. Surf bathing is affording them great sport, not to mention the "movies" and the hotel hops.

Sunday Morning Service—

Rev. E. J. Ranslow, pastor of the Seabreeze Tourists' church, in the absence of Rev. H. H. Bowen, preached at the morning services in the Methodist church Sunday. He delivered an excellent discourse, as usual, and had a fair-sized congregation. Choir service was unusually fine, several selections being given by the male quartet composed of Messrs. Ramsey, Shelly, Stewart and Burdick.

Rev. H. H. Bowen is now in Kansas, visiting various parts of the state in the interest of the Northwestern Kansas conference. He is on his vacation and enjoying the change.

Council Doings Monday Night—

The proceding of the council meeting of Monday night, simmered down, amounted to little more than hearing the reading of numerous bills, most of which were ordered paid. President Smith had to go on a war hunt to get a quorum together, and it was ten o'clock in the evening before the council got into working order. Auditor's report of May 31st was approved. Clerk was instructed to notify treasurer to open an account with Coates street and First avenue for the purpose of setting aside a certain amount of the general fund for work done on these streets. An ordinance for bird protection will be brought before the council at the next regular meeting.

At the Hotels—

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Alexander, Mrs. Anna Horner and R. Q. Kapter, Jr., motored over from the county seat Friday for a short stay at the Breakers.

Geo. H. Frenald and wife and A. B. Mahoney, of Sanford, made up a pleasant automobile party for a week on enjoyment of the beach and were guests of the Breakers.

Dr. Scofield of Cocoa and Rockledge, is spending a few days at the Seaside Inn on his way to Eagles Nest, N .C., for the summer.

Dr. W. A. Gotch of Eustis; Miss Cora E. Jackson, Warren Jackson, DeLand; Mrs. H. M. Fraser, Laura Fraser and Ruth Fraser, Orlando, were among the Monday arrivals at the Seaside Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Cary-Elwes daughter, Miss Cary-Elwes and brother, guests at the Daytona Beach hotel left Tuesday on their return to Orlando.

J. H. Overman was over from Sanford Saturday with an automobile party of six for a couple of days at the Daytona Beach hotel.

W. H. Carr and party of 12 drove over from Eustis and were at the Daytona Beach hotel from Thursday until Saturday.

The members of the Crystal Orchestra of Daytona had their dinner at the Daytona Beach hotel Sunday and afterwards entertained the guests with numerous musical numbers.

F. A. Curtis and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Switzer, a party from Orlando, were pleasantly entertained at the Breakers this week.

General News Notes—

H. F. Stewart is planning a trip to Hendersonville, N. C., in July, where he will visit Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Flihart. Later on he will join Mrs. Stewart and children at Asbury Park, N. J

Miss Nicholson who has been visiting her brother and family, left Wednesday on her return to Sanford.

Mrs. Frank Smith and two children Johnnie and Florence, came over from Palatka Sunday to spend the summer with Mrs. Smith's mother, Mrs. A. S Harroun at the apartment house.

J. J. Bishop has had a bath room and front porch added to their new home on Live Oak street, while Mrs Bishop and daughter, Miss Gertrude are visiting in DeLand.

Stanley Strother, the third son and capable young hopeful of Mrs. Henry Strother, is now working behind the counter at the Bunch grocery.

Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong of Daytona, have leased and are occupying the Branch cottage, "Uleeta," on Atlantic avenue. Mr. Armstrong represents the Porter & Mallard company of Jacksonville.

Miss Cora Powell left last week for Hillsboro, O., to visit her sister and family for the summer.

Mrs. F. Sparber returned Monday from a several days' business trip to DeLand. While at the county seat she rented a cottage for next winter, Miss Franz having decided to take the course in music at Stetson during the fall and winter term. They expect to move over some time in October.

Dr. Frank Owens and family were over from Eustis from Thursday until Monday, visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. H Freeman and family at Pinehurst. Mrs Owens is Mr. Freeman's sister.

Miss Etta Freeman and Miss Ruth Keating will organize a dancing class at the casino Saturday afternoon for children from five to 14 years of age

C. A. Kenney has sold a beach lot south of the Gorham Weaver place, South Daytona Beach to Fidel George, of Michigan, who has been spending much time in this vicinity for the past two years.

Miss Catherine Pickett has purchased through C. A. Kenney agency, lot 14 on Grandview avenue, near Earl street, Seabreeze.

Miss Hattie Allen of Sorento, came over from the interior last week to visit Mrs Carrie Budgen on Seabreeze avenue.

Miss Marguerite Freeman arrived from St Augustine Friday to spend her three weeks' vacation with her parents, Mr and Mrs. W. H. Freeman, at Pinehurst.

Mrs. Carrie Budgen re-opened her shop on Seabreeze avenue this week

The Peninsula subscribers of the Gazette-News are greatly pleased over the change of date of publication of the paper from Saturday to Friday, and the prompt arrival of the paper Friday morning.

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WHY PAINTER DID NOT SUICIDE

(By Chas. E. Jones in Dixie.)

Why should E. O. Painter have suicided?

I don't care what the analysis shows, there is every indication—every proof that this prominent citizen lost his life by accident—that he fell overboard from the Jacksonville ferry boat while in a condition of extreme illness caused by nausea.

E. O. Painter stood among the first men in Jacksonville. His happy home life excited much favorable comment—his business affairs were in excellent shape—he was of sunny temperament—he was a consistent Christian—he was just planning greater things to make him happier—he had everything to live for.

Then why should he want to die? The enormous life insurance showed that he loved his business and that he loved his family. His death would cause his wife and daughter poignant grief. Why should he wish to inflict such pain upon those whom he loved best in all the world? He knew that with over a million dollars' worth of life insurance recently taken out, that insurance companies would have an investigation. Hundreds of bodies have been dug up after being buried in search for poison and to enable insurance companies to determine whether there are evidences of suicide. If E. O. Painter decided to drown himself, he did not have to take any poison. All that he had to do was to get into a row boat and get drowned where no one could see him, and no company could have evidence or suspicion that he suicided.

On the contrary he was on a ferry boat with an intimate friend He complained of being sick in the stomach and in order to relieve himself he stepped to the rear of the open edge of the boat. He grasped the railing and tried to hold on. His friend warned him of the danger, but the splashing waters over which he bent added to his sickness and in a fit of coughing his hold on the railing was broken and he went overboard into the churning waters behind the boat.

Watch the water immediately behind a fast running boat, and you can see what E. O. Painter encountered when he fell overboard. Even in his sickness, however, he managed to hold up until the boat reached the opposite side of the river. Of course he was exhausted before he fell and the rough waters behind the boat added to his exhaustion but he struggled hopefully as he saw a yacht coming to save him In vain he looked towards the ferry boat, but seeing the yacht he turned towards it with his hands and arms indicating an effort to keep afloat, but just before the yacht reached him his strength gave completely away and he sank.

No, there was no occasion for E. O Painter taking his own life. He was not morose or unhappy—he had no financial troubles and he was not crazy. The big insurance created the suspicion, yet there are other men in this city carrying a large amount of insurance which drives them almost to the wall to keep up.

But had E. O. Painter desired self destruction he could in remembrance of the "12-months' clause" have waited a year and avoided the possibility of legal complications. Those who saw Ed. Painter struggle in the troublesome, rough waters of the St. Johns river—those who knew the man most intimately will never be convinced that he killed himself.

Another matter—I was on the ferry boat with E. C. Broward, P. S. Bowen, Emmett Broward and others, and we saw Painter struggling to save his life as the yacht approached him. For fully five minutes he was battling to live.

It is contended by some that Painter could not afford to carry such insurance, as he was not a rich man. Mr. Painter was a rich man, and he had a family that lived comfortably and inexpensively. The home was beautiful, but the three members lived quietly, caring nothing for society functions and lavish entertainment. The daughter devoted her time and talents to her father's business and the wife and mother to household duties.

Mr Painter was earnestly solicited by insurance companies to take out more insurance. One of these agents told me how difficult it was to "land" him—how he expressed his desire, but didn't want to go beyond his means. Then again insurance companies always know just how much insurance a man carries before they insure him—they know everything about his business and his ability to pay They also know that great insurance on a man like E O Painter is an incentive for other men to increase their insurance, and they use such in advertising among agents all over the state.

The evidence is in favor of the Painter heirs. The circumstances, while in many respects peculiar, do not show suicide In fact, everything goes to show that E O Painter had nothing to cause a desire for self-destruction.

The passing away was the decree of the inscrutable wisdom of Him who rules the universe and who works in a "most mysterious way, His wonders to perform."

REPORTS SHOW FEW HIGH POINTS IN STATE.

The United States Geological Survey recently published Bulletin 516, "Results of Spirit Leveling in Florida, 1911," the work reported in which was done under the direction of R. B. Marshall, chief geographer. In the bulletin are given descriptions of about 200 datum points established by the Geological Survey, as well as approximately 40 points established by the Coast and Geodetic Survey. The lowest point in the state described in the bulletin is given as follows:

St. Augustine, in face of sea wall, 1.9 meters below top, few feet south of bench mark A, of wall; upper surface or iron rod 1 inch square (C. & G. G. S. "Tidal") .....0.872 feet.

The highest point in the state thus far accurately determined is a bench mark established by the Geological Survey and is described as follows:

Lake Geneva, 12 miles northeast corner of crossroads, iron post stamped "246 Prim. Trav. Sta. No. 66" ... ...246 227 feet

The topographic maps published by the survey show the elevation of points within the areas mapped, but these elevations are only approximate, while those given in the bulletins on spirit leveling are exact and consequently are of considerable value to engineers and surveyors who may require some point on which to base their work.

A number of years ago the Geological Survey published a "Dictionary of of Altitudes" for the entire United States (now out of print), but the elevations given in that volume were nearly all approximate only; they could not be used as a basis for work requiring accuracy and care. The state bulletins on spirit leveling, however, when complete, will form a series of inestimable value because the elevations of most of the datum points are given in thousandths of a foot and the points are so described as to be easily identified.

Result of Procrastination.

The things that we put off until tomorrow are usually finished just twenty-four hours late.—Detroit Free Press.

At Times.

Ted—"Do you believe that women should hold the reins?" Red—"It is all right when you have the girl out in a sleigh."—Judge.

CALL FOR MEETING OF TURPENTINE OPERATORS.

A general convention of turpentine operators has been called for June 30th at Jacksonville, Fla., "to discuss, formulate and put in execution methods that will enable the operators to keep in touch with every detail of the manufacture and distribution of naval stores products."

The call was issued by the Turpentine Operators' Social and Mutual Interest association which was organized a short time ago at Arcadia, Fla.

The following announcement, with regard to the matter has been made:

"It will be necessary for the operators to get together, study costs from tree to consumer, plan methods of conservation and put the business on a better general system. The Florida association organized at Arcadia was composed of 17 leading firms, who urge the operators in Georgia and other states to organize and send representatives to the Jacksonville convention on June 30th. The secretary of every local organization is requested to notify Neil McL. Sinclair, secretary, Sinclair, Fla., confirming the above place and date for general convention.

"A scale of prices for labor has been agreed on by the Florida operators, as follows: Seventy cents per m. for chipping or pulling; 60 cents per barrel for dipping; for renting, operator to retain the scrape, but to pay for dipping the gum; for virgin, $1.40 per bbl. net to laborer; for yearling, $2.00 per bbl. net to laborer; for third year, $3 00 per bbl. net to laborer; for all other grades, $3 50 per bbl. to laborer.

"But the operator, if he so elects, may pay the laborer 35 cents per c. w t. for the scrape—laborer to do scraping.

"It is further agreed that we will not loan any money to laborers, nor pay any accounts for hands to a turpentine operator, nor move any laborer, nor knowingly furnish any work for a laborer who owes an account to a turpentine operator.

"It is further agreed that we will all have our pay days on the same date, namely on the second Saturday in each and every month, but if we fail to pay on any second Saturday, that we will not pay until the second Saturday in the succeeding month.

"The above prices are subject only to a deviation of five cents per thousand boxes, where the timber is thin, woods rough or otherwise bad."

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COMBINATION OF LIVE PEOPLE AND MAGNIFICENT RESOURCES PLACING STATE IN THE FRONT RANK.

Few if any, states in the Union have ever progressed at any times in their history as Florida is doing now, this advancement being the happy result of a combination of magnificent resources and of live people.

To a greater extent than ever before, Florida is the market garden of the country in the season when the products of Florida soil and sunshine can not be grown elsewhere. The products of its growth increase in quantity and in popularity. The Florida orange is established as the finest in the world and the like of its grapefruit is not grown elsewhere.

These are great sources of revenue and help most substantially to make the state prosper. But, there are other developments which are becoming more and more important as factors in the advancement of Florida. The number of its manufacturing plants is increasing steadily and substantially. Substantial business structures and fine residences are being erected in Florida cities and towns in numbers and at an outlay of money that only those who keep constantly informed as to matters of this kind can appreciate fully. Municipal and county improvements are being made continually, the latter including the paving of highways with brick.

Figures from federal compilations demonstrate the wonderful progress in Florida.

The value of property in the state increased from $103,047,937 in 1902 to $210,481,175 in 1912. In ten years the deposits in state banks increased from $4,782,093 to $24, 741,061. In the same period the deposits in the national banks grew from $7,935,800 to $29,707,071 The total resources of the banks increased from $18,300,252 to $85,300,506.

From 1900 to 1910 the population of Florida increased by 42.4 per cent, the average percentage of increase in the United States in the same time having been 21 per cent.

In ten years the increase in the value of Florida farm products was 203 per cent. the gain in the United States in the same time having been 118 per cent. The value of Florida farm buildings grew 144 per cent., as against an increase of 77 per cent in the United States as a whole.

The resources and possibilities of Florida have the attention of the country as never before, and it is easy to understand that what Florida has accomplished—great as it is— is only earnest of what is to come—Columbus, Ga., Industrial Index.

Where to Look for It.

A California scientist is trying to find the microbe that paralyzes man. A curious fact in connection with his search is that he is not conducting it in a barroom.

Degrees of Suffering.

Imaginative suffering is very real, because all suffering comes from the mind. Some of it originates there, while some of it is produced by reflex in the body.

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GOVERNMENT SHOULD TAKE OVER EAST COAST CANAL

SHOULD BE LINK OF GREAT INLAND WATERWAY SYSTEM PARALLELING THE COAST FROM NEW ENGLAND.

According to the last bulletin of the Atlantic Deep Waterways association, the United States government has paid the item of $500,000 for the Chespeake and Albemarle canal connecting the Elisabeth river on which Norfolk is located with Albemarle sound and it is anticipated that a great saving will result in the shipments of the Virginia-Carolina district and that a large commerce will be built up.

Government engineers will at once lay plans for deepening the canal to a minimum depth of 12 feet and have been surveying a short cut between Albemarle sound and the Beaufort waters, the hope being that congress will provide funds for the completion of the entire chain of waterways which is to connect Hampton Roads with Beaufort inlet and cut off the dangerous passage around Cape Hatteras.

And after the federal government has done this much, may it not be expected to take over as rapidly as possible the entire chain of internal waterways down the Atlantic coast? Private ownership of the rivers and canals is certain to be disastrous to the interests of the people and the sooner the United States government secures control of them the better, for with the realization that water-borne commerce is demanded today more than at any time in the nation's history, monopoly of the water courses is the natural proceeding of the predatory interests and the longer they are given control of them, the more difficult it will be to secure their possession.

In Florida we are already seeing what may be expected in the use of the East Coast canal Tolls, necessary most certainly for the remuneration of the companies that have spent money in putting the waterway into navigable condition, are to make the cost of freight carriage by this means almost prohibitive it seems and this condition may be expected to xist until—as it ought to be at once—the federal government takes over the canal, uses it to complete the waterway down the Atlantic coast and provides for free traffic throughout its extent.

Just now the Atlantic Deep Waterways association needs the encouragement and the assistance of every influential person in Florida. It has marked out a work in the opening of a canal from New England to Cape Sable that will be of incalculable benefit to this state and Florida's representatives at Washington should give it their ablest support—Miami Metropolis.

THE OLD EAST COAST.

(W I S)

Just let me live on the old East Coast,
Where the balmy breeze, and the salt sea air,
Make life worth while—why, who would dare,
To go to the mountains, or springs, and boast,
Of a better place than the old East Coast.

Just let me live on the old East Coast,
In a house built so I can move aroun'
Thru the creeks and rivers from town to town,
And hunt and fish—and anything most,
That makes things "hum" on the old East Coast.

Just let me live on the old East Coast,
Where any old time I take a notion,
I can go to the beach and roll in the ocean,
I can lie on the sand and stretch and roast,
'Neath the tropic sun on the old East Coast.

Just let me live on the old East Coast,
Where the best of men have breathed their last,
What does it matter when I have passed
To the end of life, and give up the ghost,
If I can leave my bones on the old East Coast.

New Smyrna, Florida.

Convincing.

"That Mrs. Topfloor must know I powder my face," decided Mrs. De Puff, "for just now I heard her telling the janitor's wife that she thought I belonged to the plasterers' union!"

Considerate.

"You used to want to hold my hand before we were married," she complained. "I'd like to now," said he easily, "but it would keep you from your housework, my dear."

Reformation.

Let him go abroad to a distant country; let him go to some place where he is not known. Don't let him go to the devil, where he is known.—Dr. Samuel Johnson.

Not So Dumb.

"They call this a 'dumb' waiter," observed Mrs. Gossip, "but it has told me the secrets of every family in the house."

As to Success.

Griggs—I should say that the keys to success are luck and pluck. Briggs—Yes! Look in finding some one to pluck.

Men Truly Great.

The greatest man is he who chooses right with the most invincible resolution.—Seneca.

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LOCAL NEWS

Master Glen Crouch left Saturday for Lake Helen for a visit.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Dees last Saturday night.

*For Sale—One 22 foot launch, 5 horse power Oreole engine Dan P. Smith, Jr. 4-3t

E. L. Greer of the New Smyrna Grocery company was in Jacksonville Friday on business.

*"EQUITY" means the best low-priced watch in America. Drop in at Day's Jewelry Store and see one.

Burton S Ashton, formerly of New Smyrna, but now of Fort Lauderdale, spent Sunday with friends in this city.

W. W. Vincent has given up his position as shop time keeper for the F. E C railway at this place Hal C Bell now holds that position.

Miss Margaret Woodall of DeLand, who has been visiting Miss Fern Hibbard for some time, returned to her home Saturday.

J L. Bailey and wife were called to Jacksonville Saturday by a telegram stating that a near relative was not expected to live.

J. E. Ingraham, vice-president of the Florida East Coast railway, was in the city this week on his way to Miami in his yacht Kathleen.

Dr. R A Carnine, district superintendent of the St John's river conference, of the Methodist Episcopal church, was a visitor to New Smyrna Saturday

The members of the Whist club were entertained at the regular meeting last Monday afternoon by Mrs C A Grimsley The head prize was won by Mrs Kirby Chilton

Mr. and Mrs W L. Sims and Mrs. J. B Tucker and children of Miami are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J M. Tanner Mrs. Tucker formerly resided here, her husband having been employed by the F E. C railway

Mesdames E H. Peter and E. L Anderson and sons of Dunnellon and Miss Winniefred Tucker of Ocala arrived Tuesday night and are staying at the Atlantic hotel at Coronado They will remain several weeks.

Frank Powers, formerly a well known real estate agent of this city, but now located at Cape Sable, was in the city on business the last part of last week Mr Powers is now in charge of the Florida East Coast railway's lands in the vicinity of Cape Sable

B. A. Lopez spent Sunday in St. Augustine visiting friends.

*Standard time always at Day's Jewelry Store. See the big clock.

Mrs. S. Ross, who has been visiting in Jacksonville for several days, returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Chilton plan to spend the month of July in Mr Dohn's cottage at Coronado Beach.

*H. B. Day, watchmaker and jeweler. Fine Watch repairing. Watch inspector for the F E. C. railroad

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Vaughn, who have been visiting in Jacksonville for several days, returned home Tuesday

Mrs. D. S. Whiteside, who has been visiting relatives in Galatin, Tenn., for several weeks, returned home Tuesday.

W. S. Denslow and George Lourcey left Friday for New York. Later they will probably make a tour through the west.

Earl Tanner of Miami arrived Monday and is visiting his parnts, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Tanner. He will remain several weeks

Philip Roberts of Mims, and Miss Carrie Davis of Titusville, were quietly married in the presence of a few friends Tuesday.

C G Wakely, superintendent of the Northern division of the F. E C., spent Sunday in St Augustine, returning to New Smyrna the first of the week.

Dr. Ray George of Atlanta arrived last Sunday and is visiting his sister, has spent most of his time here fishing and is greatly pleased with New Smyrna.

J D Rahner, general passenger agent of the Florida East Coast railway, left Monday evening for Washington, where he will spend several attending an important meeting of railroad officials

H. W. Davis of St Augustine, head of the firm of H W. Davis & Co, was a visitor in New Smyrna a couple of days the last part of last week Mr. Davis has great faith in the future of New Smyrna and believes this city is destined to become the best city along the East Coast.

A A Buck, manager of the Brevard County Telephone company, has been in the city several days this week looking after the preparations for moving the local exchange from the quarters it has been occupying at the corner of Canal and Hillsboro streets to the new location at Canal and Magnolia streets The work of moving the exchange and installing the big, new switchboard will be started the first of next month and Mr Buck will remain in the city until all the changes and improvements have been completed.

MRS. H. A. McCLEES FATALLY BURNED BY FLAMING CLOTHING

WELL KNOWN WOMAN DIES IN DAYTONA AS A RESULT OF FRIGHTFUL BURNS RECEIVED AT HER PENINSULA HOME.

Mrs. Harriet A. McLees, one of the early settlers of the east coast, died in Daytona at an early hour Wednesday as the result of frightful burns received at her home on the Peninsula, a few miles north of Ormond.

According to the account of the accident told by Mrs. McClees, she was engaged in burning some brush on her premises Tuesday afternoon, and the fire escaped from her control. In endeavoring to extinguish it, her clothing caught fire. She jumped into a well or cistern on the place and thus put out the flames which enveloped her, but was frightfully burned, particularly about the upper part of her body..

After extinguishing her burning clothing she crawled from the water and awaited assistance which appeard in the presence of several members of J. H. Dressner's family, neighbors, who were passing the place and noticed the fire. They extinguished the fire still burning on the place and phoned to Dr. Roy Howe, who brought the unfortunate woman to Daytona in his car and took her at her request to Dr. Klock's hospital, reaching there at about 7:00 o'clock in the evening. She died the following morning at about 3:00 o'clock. Although so fearfully burned, she was stoical and made little complaint of her suffering, it is said, and was conscious until the end.

The body was taken to the Bingham & Maley company's undertaking rooms to await instructions, an uncle being wired at Redbank, N. J., and a telegram also being forwarded to W F Gille, now in Michigan, who seems to have been acquainted with her business affairs

Mrs McClees was well known, particularly to the older residents of this section, having lived for many years on the Peninsula north of Ormond, and for a number of years has been entirely alone. Latterly she has frequently visited Daytona She was recently brought into public notice by her bitter opposition to the opening of the Jno. Anderson highway through her property and the land for the roadway was only secured by condemnation proceedings by the county commissioners

Voting Contest Interesting—

The voting contest at the Palace Theatre for the best looking young lady in New Smyrna has been an interesting one from the start With the exception of one night Miss Ruth Holley has been in the lead every night and steadily increasing until she now maintains a lead of 417 votes an increase over her nearest opponent of 144 votes for Thursday night Below is the standing of the contestants up to last night

Ruth Holley	1953
Hallie Bryan	1536
Armine Robertson	1322

Ladies' Aid Meets—

The Ladies Aid of the Trinity M. E. church met last Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. V. D. Capo. The occasion was greatly enjoyed by the ladies present.

Refreshments consisting of cake and punch were served.

The Ladies Aid will meet in the church parlors next Tuesday afternoon, the meeting taking the form of a business meeting.

Took Important Part on Program—

Miss Maud Holley, who returned last week from St. Augustine, where she has been a student at St. Joseph's academy, had an important part in the annual commencement program of that educational institution Miss Holley appeared on the program twice as pianist and her renditions were highly pleasing to the large audience which attended the commencement exercises.

Woman's Club to Meet—

The Woman's Club of New Smyrna will meet at 3 o'clock this afternoon in the Union church The main business to be discussed is the matter of the thorough cleaning and fumigating of the school house. Mr. Branning will give a talk to the members, telling some of the things the club might do for the school, and he will also be prepared to answer questions that may arise concerning school work All interested in the welfare of the New Smyrna school are requested to attend th's meeting

COMMITTEE SOLICITING FUNDS FOR CAMPAIGN

The ways and means committee of the board of trade, which has been soliciting funds with which to carry on the campaign for statistics to be presented to the board of army engineers, has been calling on the citizens of New Smyrna for financial help during the past couple of days, and has been meeting with fair success The committee has been divided into two parts, one taking the territory north of Canal street

This is a matter of vital importance to every citizen of New Smyrna and the members of the committee should be given liberal financial encouragemnet by all the people. It is not necessary to await the visit of the committee, but remittances may be sent to the secretary of the board of trade.

SANFORD PEOPLE PLAN TO HOLD BIG CELEBRATION

Seminole county is issuing a neat invitation to citizens of this section of the state to attend a celebration in Sanford July 4th, the celebration to commemorate the birth of the new county The invitations are printed in the usual form of polite invitations and Mayor W H. Newell received one this week addressed to the mayor, members of the city council and citizens of New Smyrna.

In honor of the victory gained in the legislature when Seminole county with Sanford as the county seat, was created a few weeks ago the citizens of Sanford propose to make the celebration a memorable one in the history of the Celery City It is probable that a large number of the citizens of New Smyrna will plan to attend and enjoy the celebration of the national independence day in Sanford.

Mrs. G R McGlon and childr n, who have been visiting Mrs. McGlon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W L McDonald of Port Orange, returned home Saturday

TRACTION ENGINE TAKEN OUT ON THE DeLAND ROAD

BROKEN AXLE REPLACED AND MACHINE PUT IN OPERATION BY STATE AGENT, PETER WIENAND.

The traction engine ordered by the county commissioners for road working purposes, which arrived about two weeks ago with the front axle broken, was put in commission Tuesday by State Agent Peter Wienand, who had it in operation on the streets Wednesday It was taken out on the DeLand road where it will be put in use. A new axle had been forwarded by the manufacturers to replace that broken in transit and soon after its arrival Mr. Wienand had the tractor in shape for business. He is very sanguine that it will prove entirely satisfactory for the work for which it was ordered by the commissioners and looks forward to the use of large numbers of the tractors in the Everglades farming lands for ploughing and other work.

The tractor is capable of a speed of about four miles an hour and looks as though it might move right along with any load that was put upon it.

Kingston

KINGSTON, June 25.—Mrs. G. W. Rich returned home on Thursday of last week from a six-weeks' visit with relatives and friends at Lake City, Providence, Lake Butler, Palatka, and other places in Columbia, Bradford, and Putnam counties. She reports a very pleasant trip but is glad to be home again in the prettiest town in the state.

G. A. Douglass of Arch Creek, Fla., accompanied by his brother, Chester, and his son, Master Urie, were pleasant visitors in Kingston last week, guests of their aunt, Mrs Rich. Mr. Douglass was on a business trip, negotiating the sale of his farm on West Second avenue.

The lawn social and watermelon party, given in honor of Miss Mae Orr, who is living with her brother on West Main street, Tuesday evening of this week, on the Ferndale grounds was quite a success. About 40 young people of Kingston and Holly Hill, assembled and after enjoying themselves with parlor and lawn games until late hour, the wagon load of fine melons procured by Marion McKenzie were carved and served in the yard lighted up by numerous Japanese lanterns. Miss Orr was comparatively a stranger here up to this time, but henceforth has quite an extensive acquaintance.

Leisurely.

"The hired man fell off the fence down in the meadow lot just now!" "Had he hit the ground when you left?"—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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WEALTH OF THE INCAS

MUNICIPAL PALACE, LIMA

PERU is conceded to be the third richest country in the world. Its own leading men believe positively it is the richest, and no one can say just how great is the wealth of its unexplored hills and canyons. The effort of its statesmen to redeem it, as recently reported, by land concessions to immigrants and railroads to carry the products of the fields and the mines, which are now carried on the backs of natives, has attracted more attention in Europe than the United States, which is godfather to it.

Peru is said to be the one country in South America where there is no racial antipathy to Americans, as this country did Peru a good turn probably before that spirit was born among the Latin races to the south. It was in 1858 that the United States restored to Peru the Lobos guano islands, to which some adventurous Americans had laid claim. The fairness of this government has since then been something of a tradition down there.

Wealth Back of Desolate Coast.

Much of the wealth that Spain has dissipated, her gold and silver that was made into ornaments as well as money, and the precious stones belonging to the royal houses are reputed to have been largely carried back from Peru by the Conquisadores.

For a thousand miles the coast of Peru presents a bold, unspeakable barren appearance. Mountains tower up toward the cloudless skies day after day as one pursues his slow way down the coast. Not a tree or a green bush can be seen, but back of the barrier is the wealth of the Incas—gold and silver, coffee and cotton and spices and fruits and rare woods Nowhere does the desert run back for more than 80 miles from the coast, and usually not so far. Then there is the long stretch of gradually rising plains, the foothills and then the great interior table lands.

From 1630 to 1824 Jesuit priests are credited with taking 27 tons of pure silver out of a single valley, while other mines are said to have yielded hundreds of millions of dollars, and even with the primitive system employed by the monks and the native Indians But for nearly half a century or more Peru went backward, and became so poor that her richest citizen lived on the pawnshops. But that period has passed, and with permanent peace the country is slowly recovering its prosperity.

Silver is one mineral that is, perhaps, most abundant, and that is to be found in every section of the republic In many places it is found in a native state, and the deposits are of great richness. Copper mining is comparatively a new industry in Peru, as not until the depreciation of silver, did miners turn their attention to copper, when it was found that it existed in paying quantities in the great silver districts Within the last few years the Haggin-Guggenheim copper mines at Cerro de Paseo have produced enormous quantities of ore, and modern smelting works have been established at several of the more important centers.

Cerro de Paseo and Yauli are the two best known copper regions of Peru, but others are known to exist. The ores of Peru are always found in various combinations with different metals.

Gold, which constituted the great wealth of the nation before the conquest by Pizarro, was not mined to a very great extent by the Spanish conquerors, who, for some reason, gave all their attention to silver mining. For this extraordinary reason the gold mines from whence the native Incas derived their fabulous wealth remained more or less abandoned for three centuries, and it is only now that there is a revival of gold mining.

Gold is found in several parts of Peru. There is alluvial gold generally on the Amazonian slopes and throughout eastern Peru the rivers have all gold bearing gravel beds, so that hydraulic mining, the most inexpensive method known, is likely to assume some magnitude.

The Germans are showing the same enterprise and aggressive policy in Peru that they have shown in Brazil and other parts of South America. They are elbowing the British out, and are absorbing the export trade. In almost every city throughout Latin America the retail shops, the commission business, the manufacturing interests, and all kinds of enterprises are owned or controlled by Germans. They have recently gone into Peru. The United States might have had the best of everything, but Americans do not show any disposition to go out into other countries. There are, however, several large American enterprises in Peru.

Mines Forgotten.

In the northern part of the republic it is proposed to rebuild and extend two lines of railway in order to reach valuable deposits of coal, copper and other minerals, and open up tracts of land that are suitable for vineyards, fruits and general agriculture. One of these roads will be an extension of a short line now running out of Pascasmayo to the ancient town of Caxamarca, where Atahulpa, the "Last of the Incas," was "strangled in the most treacherous manner by Pizarro, after he had filled with gold the room of the palace in which he had been confined." The mines from which that gold came have been forgotten, but are believed to lie somewhere back in the mountains, and, what is more to the point, there are known beds of coal of good quality, almost inexhaustible, it is said, and much needed in South America.

It is also proposed to build about 100 miles of road from Ilo to Moquega through a rich agricultural valley, where the soil is especially adapted for vineyards.

An English corporation holds a concession to build a line a distance of 200 miles from the port of Chimbote over the mountains to the town of Huarez, capital of one of the northern provinces, which is the center of a mineral region with large deposits of copper, silver and coal An American syndicate obtained a concession a few years ago, and deposited a forfeit of $60,000 for the extension of a railway from Payta to the Maranon, one of the largest branches of the Amazon. The proposed line was to cross both ranges of the Andes and open up an agricultural country and vast rubber forests. It was surveyed and is yet to be constructed.

True Love.

Homer Folks, the secretary of the State Charities Aid association of New York, said of eugenics the other day:

"The love match is a good thing for eugenics. By this I mean that it is better for a pretty girl to marry a brave, handsome youth for love, true love, than it is for her to marry an elderly millionaire for his money.

"Mercenary people like to sneer at love in a cottage, and bread and cheese and kisses, and all that sort of thing. But these sneers are false. For—"

Here Mr. Folks smiled.

"For," he ended, "when poverty comes in at the door, love flies out and gets a good job."

Logic.

Logic is a method employed by some people to convince themselves that they are right upon any question in which it would be extremely inconvenient for them to be proved wrong.

Logic is indulged in almost exclusively by professors and young married men. Old married men know better. They usually employ silence instead.

Logic is generally used as a substitute for experience. It has conveyed upon several occasions to compete with ridicule, but has generally failed to come to time after the first round.

Logic shrinks before poetry, invention, art and character. It is the last resort of mediocrity.—Life.

Shifting Burdens.

"Brown says he drinks because it drives away his troubles."

"He exchanges one load for another, so to speak."

STATE HAPPENINGS

News from Fair Florida Briefly Told

Saturday, July 5th, an election will be held in Starke proposing a bond issue of $30,000 for a new high school building.: It is believed the bonds will carry by a large majority.

Over $20,000 is now on deposit in the postal savings bank in Miami, which was opened for business on June 1st, two years ago. There are 272 accounts now open.

A stock company has been formed by nine well known men at Hastings with the title of The East Coast Creamery Co. A creamery, with a capacity for 1,000 cows will be built as soon as proper arrangements can be made. Messrs. N. D. Benedict, F. E. Bugbee, J. L. Middleton, Epps & Padgett, Scoville, Edminster Bros, Geo. Beach and one other, we believe, are back of the movement.

Blown more than 30 feet through the air when a spark from his pipe caused the accidental explosion of a box of dynamite caps which he was carrying, Arthur Yates, employed on the A J. Cushman farm near Redland, was instantly killed With the exception of his socks, every particle of clothing was torn from his body, his eyes were blown out, his right arm torn to shreds and his chest terribly mangled

Frank Jones, at present superintendent of the convict camp, will be appointed county detective by the board of county commissioners of Duval county at a salary of $200 a month Jones' duties as county detective will be to assist State's Attorney Wm A Hallowes, Jr, in securing evidence in murder cases and other crimes committed in the county. This is a new position, created by the state legislature at its recent session, and the authorization of a special detective for Duval county, is due to the present ment of the last grand jury, which called the attention of the judges to the fact that many criminals escaped punishment because of the lax methods used in the apprehension of criminals.

Following the approval by Governor Park Trammell of the bill authorizing the commissioners of St Johns county to issue $70,000 in warrants by which to raise that amount in funds for permanent work, it is understoood that the board will take prompt action, probably taking the matter up definitely at the July meeting It has been figured by the engineer that with this three miles of permanent paving can be placed on the Jacksonville highway—brick eight feet in width, four feet of deep shell on each side, making a permanent 16 foot highway This stretch would make the entire Jacksonville road in that county easily passable. The road to Hastings via Elkton can be completed with shell paving and the county can do its share towards placing a concrete bridge across the San Sebastian river to New Augustine.

There are approximately 800,000 cattle in Florida, but most of them don't get enough to eat, Consequently thousands of them die during a hard winter, and the young ones that pulled through are so stunted that they never grow up A few men have seen the possibilities. One man figures that an acre of velvet beans will fatten a thousand pounds of live weight, and he regards the beans simply as a by-product of rotation. Cowpea hay sells for $25 a ton, crab grass hay for $20 a ton; and it doesn't cost $5 a ton to produce either crop. Milk retails in the cities for 60 cents a gallon, one man is producing it at 12 cents a gallon. Now, with the aid of the federal government, 12,000 cattle are to be shipped out of the state to the food lots, and if raisers will only keep at it, there is a $3,000,000 business in sight.—Sanford Herald.

Four distinct blooms on grapefruit have been reported by some of the growers in the vicinity of Miami, the last coming recently, and as a result the groves contain fruit of various sizes. The later blooms will materially increase the crop, it is believed. E. V. Blackman reports that on one of his groves there are three sizes of fruit, and that the trees are now full of bloom as well as of fruit. The larger fruit is about two-thirds grown, the next size is some smaller than baseballs, the next are about the size of eggs, and the bloom now on will add still another size. "I have never seen anything like it," declared Mr. Blackman. "I have had charge of groves in this section of Florida for many years but I never before had so many sizes of grapefruit on my trees. And I never saw a tree loaded with fruit that was at the same time loaded with bloom."

The following Florida postmasters have been nominated by the president: Marcy B. Darnell, Key West; G. N. Denning, Winter Park; W. H. Hoffman, Dunnellon; Joseph W. Humphries, Bradentown; Edward C. Lewis, Marianna; Alma P. Martin, Melbourne; Lula Newton, Winter Garden; Samuel L. Wilson, Bartow.

Covering the entire overflowed territory, the state commission of expert engineers employed in making an accurate re-survey of the Everglades to ascertain the exact amount of rainfall evaporation and run-off is rapidly pushing out its lines, and in a short time the engineers expect to be receiving reports from every section of the great Florida prairie, giving accurate measurements on which definite figures can be made as to what must be done to effectively drain the 'Glades.

Sheriff Carlton picked up a demented man last week and kept him under surveillance until the arrival of an officer from Jacksonville. The man was a thrifty glass blower and had his savings invested in an Everglades farm near Fort Lauderdale. Finding it under water and having practically no money, his mind was unbalanced. Some good people gave financial aid to his wife and the couple took the train for home. At Hobe Sound the man had jumped from the train and wandered to this place.—Ft. Pierce News.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS ALL OVER VOLUSIA COUNTY

WARRANTY DEEDS AND OTHER INSTRUMENTS RECORDED IN OFFICE OF CLERK OF CIRCUIT COURT.

During the past week the following instruments affecting property in Volusia county have been recorded in the office of the clerk of the circuit court the transfers being reported especially for this paper by The Abstract company:

Warranty Deeds—

Otto H. Voss to Eugene S. Carrigan, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7, blk. 44; also E 154 ft. of lot 8, blk. 42, town of Enterprise.

T. L. Howell and Minnie F. Howell to Wm. Clayton McCullough et al., W 89 ft. of lot 45 and W 88 ft. of N½ of lot 46, blk. 1, sub. of New Smyrna.

M. E. Moon to Lottie L. Bishop, N ½ of lot 20, blk. 23, in the sub. of Memento.

A. C. Niver and Martha Niver to L. B. Hord, lot 4, Lockhart's sub. of NE part of blk 9, Rogers' DeLand, said lot being on the NW cor. of Florida avenue and Luella Court.

L. B. Hord and Verna Hord to The Gould-Wootten company. lot 4, Lockard's sub. of NE part of blk. 9, Rogers' DeLand, said lot being on the NW cor. of Florida avenue and Luella court.

V. W. Gould, Mabel H. Gould, Francis Wootten and Celia A. Wootten to L. B. Hord, W 80 ft. of E 260 ft. of S½ of blk. 133, DeLand.

D. J. Miller and Anna M. Miller to V. W. Gould and Francis Wootten, an undivided 1-3 interest in W 240 ft. of E 340 ft. of S½ of blk. 133, DeLand.

D. J. Miller and Anna M. Miller to V. W. Gould and Francis Wootten, an undivided 1-3 interest in and to W 240 ft. of E 340 ft. of S½ of blk. 133 City of DeLand.

D. J. Miller and Anna M. Miller to Gould-Wootten Co., lots 1, 2, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16, of Fairview sub. of N½ of NE¼ of NE¼ of Sec. 16, Twp. 17, R 30.

Geo. W. Kingston and Emma C Kingston to Geo. W. Lewis, land in town of Kingston.

Geo. W. Varney to Jake Robinson and Isaac Robinson, SW¼ of S½ of lot 5, Sec 1, Twp. 18, R. 30.

N. S. Moore and Botilda Moore to Tue Pierson, beg. at SW cor. of SE¼ of SW¼ of Sec. 26, Twp. 14, R. 28, and running east 13 chains and 22 links; thence north 8 chs. and 42 links; thence W 13 chs. and 22 links; thence S 8 chs. and 42 links to place of beg.

Henrietta M. Palmer and Chas. R. Palmer to Chas. V. Galler beg. at the NE cor. of lot 2, blk 49, Mason & Coleman's Daytona; thence running westerly along the N line of said lot 135 ft.; thence southerly parallel to the W line of said lot 20 ft.; thence easterly 133½ ft. to W line of Beach st.; thence northerly along same 20 ft. to place of beg.

W. S. Taylor and Blanche A. Taylor to Francis Wootten, W 133 1-3 ft. lot 13, blk. 10, Rogers' DeLand.

A. O. Amidon and Sarah C. Amidon to Jessie Bell, part lot 2, blk. 2, Childs' sub. of lot 1, Sec. 19, Twp. 17, R. 34.

Chas. V. Morris et al. to Edw. J. Lane et. al., lots 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, sub. of lot 1, Sec. 21, and lots 1, 2, 3, Sec. 22, Twp. 15, R. 33.

Susie A. Curtis and T. F. Curtis to Wm. D. Bradshaw and Henry Alexander, lot on Beach st. in Daytona, Fla.

Sarah M. Dobbins and Peter B. Dobbins to Wm. Atwood, lots 9 and 10, blk. 2, Botefuhr's Land-of-the-Sea sub. of lot 2, Sec. 16, Twp. 15, R. 33

Edith L. Bennett and Simon P. Bennett to Jas. L. Bailey, lot 154, blk. 11, Andrews' sub. City of New Smyrna.

Conrad-Bullard Co. to Chester Thompson, lot 13, blk. 5, sub. of lots 4 and 5, blk. 27, Hodgman's Daytona.

Geo. H. Clark and L. M. Clark to [illegible]. M. Guthrie, lot 4 Clark's sub. of lot 3, blk. 28, Hodgman's Daytona.

Willie W. Marshall and Della N. Marshall to Katie D. Guthrie, lot 13, Marshall's sub of lots 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5, and N. 576.44 ft. of lot 16, E of F. E. C. Ry., Daytona.

Geo. H. Holden and Sarah C. Holden to Elmira Lopez, lot 96, blk. 9, Andrew's sub. of City of New Smyrna.

Geo. H. Ludwig et al. to Mattie A. Smith, lot 13, blk. 1, sub of lots 6 and 7, blk. 27, Hodgman's Daytona.

Chas. B. Rowlader and Blanch E. Rowlader to Mariah Carter, lot 7, blk. [illegible], Rowlader 4th add. to Daytona.

[illegible] Tomlinson [illegible] Mattie W. [illegible], S 50 ft. of lot 4, blk. 13, [illegible] of Memento.

Geo. H. Ludwig et. al. to David Lewis [illegible] 11, blk. 4, sub. of lot D1, blk. 31, [illegible] Daytona.

W. F. Gillis, Jr., and Mabelle F. Gille to Dennis McCarty lots 7, 8, and 9, blk. 36, town of East Daytona.

Chas. A. Kenney and Neala L. Kenney to Bertha M. Willis lot 16 Kost & Gove re-sub., of lots 2, 3, 6. 7 and westerly 25 ft. of lots 1 and 8, blk. 22, Hodgman's Daytona.

Electa Gifford and Anna Millar to Howard Almy et al., land in New Smyrna.

S. A. Baker and Nellie C. Baker to J. E. Wells NW¼ and SW¼ and NE¼ of NE¼ and SW¼ of SE¼ of Sec. 24, Twp. 13, R. 28.

St. Johns Development Co. to Thos. B. Smith, SE¼ of NE¼ of NE¼ of Sec. 2, Twp. 13, R. 29, being tract 3, blk. 1.

Myron L. Howard and Florence D. Howard to R. K. Shaw, lot 2, blk 6 sub. of Ormond known as Melrose.

C. E. Currie and Mamie A. Currie to B. W Cochrane Keating, lot 30, McBride's survey of land known as Hernandes grant in Sec. 43, Twp. 14, R. 32.

John G. Brown and Frances R. Brown to P. T. Gulley and E. S. Gulley, lot 15, blk. 17, Smith's re-sub. blks. 17, 18, 21, 22, 23, 26, Memento.

J F. Faris to Minnie A. Faris, portion blk. 5, Kingston.

Edwin Van Orsdall and Libbie Van Orsdall to Ottomar Jarecki, lot 6, blk 14, Hodgman's Daytona.

Horace E. Mann and Floran A. Mann to Wm. M. Carswell, lot 8, blk. 4, Mason & Carswell's sub. of Holly Hill.

Henry C. Paulsen and Irenen Paulsen to D. C. Smith tracts 44, 45, 46, 47, 59, 60, 61, 62, 74, 75, 76, 77, 90, 91, 92 and 93, Houston's sub. of Sec. 8, Twp. 13, R. 32.

Jas. W. Hambrick to Ella Hambrick, all W 1-3 of E 3-5 of lot 1, blk. 2, Howry's add. to DeLand.

Howard-Packard Land Co, to Walter J. Heugal, S½ of SE¼ of NW¼ of NW¼ of Sec. 35, Twp. 18, R. 32.

Howard-Packard Land Co, to Walter U. Heugal, N½ of SE¼ of NW¼ of NW¼ of Sec. 35, Twp. 18, R. 32.

Washington E. Connor to Jno. A. Mier, part lot 3, blk. 2, Hopkins' plat of Napier Hull grants, Secs. 43, and 44, Twp. 17, R. 33 and 34.

J. R. Parrott and Helen L. Parrott to Adolphe De Bary, NE¼ of Sec. 6, Twp. 19, R. 30.

Quitclaim Deeds—

N. S. Moore and Botilda to Amelia J. Pierson and Tue Pierson, W½ of SE¼ of NE¼ of SW¼, Sec. 26 and NW¼ of NE¼ of Sec. 35, Twp. 14, R. 28.

Equitable Building & Loan Co., to Harrison Thompson, part lot 6, blk. 28, Hodgman's Daytona.

W. H. Edmondson and Luna E. Edmondson to Harrison Thompson, lots 1 and 2, blk. 1, sub of lot 6, blk. 28, Hodgman's Daytona.

Conrad-Oates Realty, Title & Insurance Co, to Nora V. Haynes, lot 1, blk. 36, Hodgman's Daytona.

Agreements—

East Coast State Bank to Florida Fruit Land Co., W 25 ft. excepting N 7 ft. of lots 23 and 24, blk. 3, Daytona Beach.

American Land Co., of Harwood, Fla., to Geo. J. Park, lots 6 and 7, blk. A, and lots 4 and 5, in blk. C, sub of S 900 acres of Addison grant, being part of Sec. 40, Twp. 13, R. 32; also Sec. 37, Twp. 14, R. 32.

Edward H. Mace to Carrie D. Mabbette and I. M. Mabbette, E⅔ of S½ of lot 5, blk. 10, Hodgman's Daytona.

Master's Deed—

Blocks 108 and 124, City of DeLand, J. Lee McCrory to Walter B. Burgess.

DIRECTORY OF COUNTY OFFICIALS

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Blacksmith and Wheelright

O. J. HOPKINS
Shoe Maker
[illegible]

AFTER PASSING SENTENCES CRIMINAL COURT ADJOURNS

SEVENTY-FIVE DAYS OR $100.00 FINE THE UNIFORM SENTENCE HANDED THE OAK HILL FISHERMEN.

After being in session for full two weeks the June term of the criminal court of record adjourned last Saturday, after passing sentences on the Oak Hill fishermen and a few other defendants.

The following fishermen were sentenced to pay fines of $100 and costs each or serve 75 days on the county roads: Chris Robinson, Doc. Robinson, Albert Walsh, Warren White, Glen Montgomery, Frank Montgomery, Jeff Goodrich, Clarence Goodrich, Sam Goodrich, Maurice Wilson, Archie Smith (one case), Arthur Brooks and Lee Williams.

The following were sentenced to serve 75 days on the road without the alternative of paying a fine: Alfred McDonald, Anchor Damgard, Harry Sargent and C. J. Thorpe.

Motions for new trials were made in the cases of Harry Sargent, C. J. Thorpe, Alfred McDonald and Anchor Damgard, the motions being in each case denied. Exceptions were taken to the rulings of the court and an appeal bond of $400 fixed in each case.

Sentence was suspended in the cases of Bennie Rich, James Huskey and Fred Walsh, charged with violation of the fish laws.

Other sentences imposed Saturday were:

Son Williams, grand larceny, one year in state reform school.

John Roberts, grand larceny, one year in state reform school.

James Wingate, petit larceny, one year in state reform school.

Artie Baggie, petit larceny, $15 and costs or four months on the county roads.

Jake Meadows, aggravated assault, $100 and costs or six months on the county roads.

The following cases were continued for the term:

Clarence Holt, et al., affray; John Johnson, illegal sale of liquor; Alfred McDonald, W. D. King, R. W. Wheeler, and Jean Robinson, illegal fishing; Elliott Mays, maliciously injuring dwelling by explosion of gun powder.

Nolles were entered in the following cases: D. A. Green and D. A. Green, Jr., petit larceny; Will Graham, petit larceny; Archie Smith, illegal fishing (one case); C. W. Chapman and Warren White, illegal fishing.

THOSE WHO HAVE SEEN LICENSED TO MARRY.

During the past week County Judge J. Lee McCrory has issued marriage licenses as follows:

Clarence Walstein and Margaret Brown.

Lucius Thompson and Christine Moragne.

William N. Boggs and Ollie Tutson.

SUITS INSTITUTED IN THE CIRCUIT COURT.

Consolidated Grocery Co., vs. G. F. Nasworthy & Co., is the title of the only law case instituted in the circuit court during the past week.

Chancery suits have been started as follows:

Lillie Jones vs. Jack Jones, bill for divorce.

Charlotta Watton vs. Barrett S. Watton, bill for divorce.

Rufus Brandt, et al., vs. E. L. Smith, sheriff, habeas corpus.

Edw. H. Mace vs. Carrie D. Mabbette.

A final decree was recorded in the case of Ernest O. Ellsworth vs. Florida Coast Line Canal & Transportation Co.

No Sympathy There.

Goodfellow—"I'm sorry to say my wife has an aggravating habit of interrupting me in the middle of a sentence." Binns—"Humph! You are fortunate to be able to get so far."

LOW TIDES ON THE BEACH.

Afternoon and forenoon tides occur at approximately the same hour and minute.

	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	10:26	10:45	12:46	[illegible]
2	11:19	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
3	12:03	[illegible]	[illegible]	3:15
4	12:47	1:15	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

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COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT TELLS ABOUT GRADE EXAMS

GIVES FIGURES SHOWING NUMBER THAT PASSED EXAMINATIONS AND NUMBER THAT FAILED.

County Superintendent C R. M. Sheppard has just issued the following statement that will be of general interest:

Complaint having been made to us that our final examinations for the sixth, seventh and eighth grades were hard and unfair, we take the liberty of printing herewith a tabulated form showing the results of this examination as produced by the four city schools, DeLand, New Smyrna, Daytona and DeLand

With the exception of sixth grade spelling, and three questions in English grammar, the questions were reasonable, and for these full credits were allowed regardless of answers, and as proof of this the results mentioned above are given showing where the average school has passed a large per cent of each class on the same questions, the papers having been graded by the same committee. I believe the people of this county elected me to this office expecting me to do what I think best for the education of their children. This is my purpose, at any rate, and as I see it, proper classification is the first necessary step to insure satisfactory results. It hurts me almost as much as it does the little folks, when I see the countenance drop upon being informed of a failure; still I rather see a disappointed child now than to see a failure in the same child when the high school is reached or in after years. You will admit that a good foundation is the first requisite, without this the school years will mean nothing more than a sham for the pupil regardless of promotion. Promotion over inefficiency is a sham, a deception to the parent, to the child and to the world, and a grave injustice to the child. I assure you that it is by no means pleasant to have the good people holding me responsible for the failure of their children. I am trying to do them a service. I feel it is my duty, and my duty must be done, regardless of what may be said or done. Below is the result of the four schools mentioned:

	Passed	Failed
Daytona—		
Sixth Grade	20	6
Seventh Grade	23	2
Eighth Grade	12	6
New Smyrna—		
Sixth Grade	5	8
Seventh Grade	5	5
Eighth Grade	11	8
DeLand—		
Sixth Grade	18	11
Seventh Grade	15	27
Eighth Grade	20	5
Seabreeze—		
Sixth Grade	13	2
Seventh Grade	4	1
Eighth Grade	4	1

You are bound to admit that if the examination was fair for one it was fair for all, and that all pupils should be equally prepared before promotion.

Parents whose children are promoted over inefficiency may justly expect failures in their children. No teacher can teach sixth grade pupils seventh grade work, and until your children are properly classified the work will mean but little to them. It has required a great deal of my time and much effort to show up this condition, and it was all with a hope of gaining a step upward for our children, and now that it has been done I feel that those few who are so much displeased are not only doing their children a wrong, but are doing the writer a wrong as well. I shall stick to the standard I have set up. We must have proper classification, and we will then have proper work and greater satisfaction therefrom. I am devoting my entire time and efforts to the interests of the schools of the county, and if I may have the co-operation of the parents and the people at large, I feel that better schools will be the result. To this accomplishment I earnestly ask the co-operation of all the people all the time.

Yours to serve,
C. R. M. SHEPPARD.

WATCHES TURTLE DEPOSIT 121 EGGS IN NEST IN SAND.

W. B. Harris, owner of the Kissimmee Valley-Gazette, who, with his family, is spending a month in a cottage at Coronado, had an interesting experience the other night, when he watched a huge sea turtle make her nest in the sand and deposit her eggs in the nest. Editor Harris and his wife had been enjoying a stroll on the beach in the bright moonlight and were on their way back to the cottage when they noticed the turtle just coming out of the surf and laboriously waddling along the hard sand in search of a suitable place for making her nest. The turtle finally located the desired place and Editor Harris and his wife sat down and watched her while she deposited a total of 121 eggs in the newly made nest. Having performed this duty, the turtle returned to the sea and the eggs were promptly confiscated.

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Plain Proof.

Bessie—"What makes you think that he married for money?" Jessie—"I have seen the bride."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Rather Well Put.

Dr. [illegible] Higley of Denver remarks: "A lie is a serpent in the garden of speech."

Agriculture in Great Britain.

Out of 56,[illegible] acres, the total area of Great Britain, only [illegible] are unused for agricultural purposes.

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Bulb Hint.

If bulbs of the paper narcissus are planted in sand and water in glass bowls they will bloom in four weeks. They are very fragrant and delicate, the bloom lasting two weeks, at least. This is the easiest way of culture. In this way it is possible to keep up a succession of bloom during the winter. The paper narcissus is one of the cheapest as well as one of the prettiest of bulbs.—Suburban Life.

Perils of Cookery.

"Leezie, wumman," the old Highlander complained to his wife at breakfast, "thae eggs are michty hard-boiled again." "Nae wonder, John, dear," replied his wife, triumphantly, "whaen the lassie boiled them by the kitchen clock, and forgot it was five meenits slow."—Youth's Companion.

Good Actions Live.

As shrubs which are cut down with the morning dew upon them do for a long time after retain their fragrancy, so the good actions of a wise man perfume his mind, and leave a rich scent behind them. So that joy is, as it were, watered with these essences, and owes its flourishing to them.—Plutarch.

Happiness and Goodness.

We should not preach so much to people; we should give them an interest in life, something to love, something to live for, we should, if possible, make them happy, or put them on the way to happiness—then they would unquestionably become good.—F. Bremer.

Who Was He?

"Father," said a boy of twelve, "who was Shylock?" "What!" exclaimed his father, "have I sent you to Sunday school for the last six or seven years, only to have you ask me who Shylock was! Shame on you! Get your Bible and find out this minute!"—Mother's Magazine.

Wait for Permission of Goddess.

A peculiar custom prevails amongst the Lewa Kunbi caste of Gujrat, India. They celebrate weddings only once in ten or twelve years, as their goddess permits. This year no less than 400 weddings were celebrated in the castle, a few days ago. The goddess had pronounced the day to be an auspicious one for marriages.

Overruled.

"Oh, but, Judge," protested Jinks, when his honor imposed a ten-dollar fine for overspeeding, "look at your roads! No car ever made could have gone over eight miles an hour through that mire." "That's jest it!" said his honor, severely. "'Twarn't nothin' but that there mud of ourn as held ye back!"—Harper's Weekly.

Must Be Done By Hand.

So far no machine has been found to give satisfaction in sewing the covers on baseballs. Hundreds of thousands of balls are used every year, and they are all hand-sewed. A man working his best can not finish more than three dozen a day.

Bounty for Children.

A landlord at Sartouville, near Paris, says the Matin, has offered to let a three-roomed cottage at a rental of $60 a year, with a reduction of $8 for every child in the family.

Generous.

For pure unselfishness the hen should bear the palm, for she clucks joyously over the egg that is to furnish some one else with an omelette.

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The editor of the Tavares Herald explains the high cost of living in this forceful and truthful way "Yes these are hard times We raise dogs and buy hogs; grow weeds and buy vegetables."

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Every citizen of Brevard county should do what he can to help New Smyrna get Mosquito inlet opened. Remember we can't have too many inlets along the coast for our own good, no matter where they are located.—Eau Gallie Record.

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Most likely in ninety-nine out of a hundred cases the people who complain that their local merchants do not keep a larger and more varied stock of goods are those who seldom or never patronize home merchants but who send to department or mail order houses for everything they want, even if be but a twenty-five cent whip. Such people are enough to ruin any town. It is in the fitness of things that those same people are always loudest in running down the place in which they live.—Gadsden County Times.

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NEW SMYRNA HARBOR

The government army engineers have practically turned down the harbor improvements at New Smyrna, on the grounds of "not business to warrant," and that hustling town is tightening up her gearings to show 'em. Better save your vitality, neighbor. That is just a convenience rather than a reason. Have you compared your shipping tonage with St Lucie inlet? Who would ever charge that the latter had gotten $100,000 for harbor improvements because of the great tonnage demands. Get a half dozen Pittsburg and Philadelphia millionaires to slip their private yachts into Mosquito inlet and the tonnage question will be eliminated. Army officers enjoy yachting much more largely than they do the shipment of citrus fruits, pineapples and tomatoes. There are others than you, on Florida waterways, who have hit the rocks, but they are just keeping their heads shut, conforming to the law of the conservation of energy.—Fort Lauderdale Herald.

We are taking your advice, brother, and comparing our shipping tonnage with that of St. Lucie. That is just what we desire the board of army engineers to do, also.

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Over in Kissimmee the mayor has issued a proclamation designating July 17 as "clean-up day," and the citizens of the city are falling in with the idea in good style. Every person in Kissimmee is expected to get into the harness with hoes, shovels, rakes, scythes, etc., and by night the city is expected to present such a changed appearance every person in the town will feel in duty bound to go home and take a bath before walking along any of the streets. It's the enterprising cities which pull off these enterprising stunts. How about New Smyrna?

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CLEAN UP YOUR LOTS

The suggestion that every real estate owner within the city limits, whether resident at this time or not, should make it a point to clean up his property, removing all weeds and filth of every description, is very timely. There is nothing which gives a city a neater appearance, or makes a quicker favorable impression on a stranger than neat, well kept lawns and vacant lots well cleared and cleaned. This gives the impression that the residents are thrifty, have some pride in the appearance of their home city and are willing to expend a little energy or money to have the city make a favorable impression on visitors, as well as making it a more desirable place in which to live. There is a city ordinance in New Smyrna requiring owners to keep all lots, as well as sidewalks and parkages, clean and free from noxious weeds, but the pride of citizens should make the enforcement of such an ordinance unnecessary. Let's all make it a point to clean up, and stay clean.

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REPULSIVE PROCEDURE

Repulsive to every sentiment or decency is the procedure that has been adopted regarding the remains of the late E. O. Painter. The Tribune formerly expressed itself on the manner in which the body had been butchered and the vital organs shipped across the country for expert examination. That examination has been concluded and the experts have pronounced the organs free of any traces of poisoning, thus disposing of the suicide theory which was advanced by the insurance companies. All this was bad enough, but now witness the spectacle of an appeal to the courts and the securing of an injunction by an insurance company to prohibit the chemists from disposing of the organs, in order that the company may have another examination made.

Meantime we have the story from Jacksonville that six ghouls are in that city for the purpose of robbing the grave and removing the remainder of the body, and it has been found necessary to place a guard in the cemetery to prevent this desecration.

Right-thinking people everywhere will denounce the conduct of the insurance companies in this matter They have a right, of course, to safeguard their own interests, but there are proper and decent ways of doing all things. The report of eminent chemists that no traces of poison can be found ought, at the utmost, to settle the matter. But a Baltimore company has gone further and brought the remains into court in a persistent effort to discover something that will afford it a shadow of excuse for not paying the amount of policy which it willingly accepted and which it is pledged to pay.

It all reverts to a mere matter of money after all. Our most sacred possessions count for naught when there are dollars involved. The solemnity of death is hurled aside and the grave is violated to get money or to save it.—Tampa Tribune.

OTHER NEWSPAPERS GIVE OPINIONS ...OF THE NEW SMYRNA NEWS...

Credit to the Town—

The New Smyrna News has reached our table. H. L. Rood is editor, and the paper is a credit to the town in which it is published.—Monticello News.

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Rood—But Can't Help It—

The News, a new weekly paper of New Smyrna, makes its appearance this week with a very Rood man (Harry L.) as editor.—Palm Beach County.

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Credit to New Smyrna—

The first edition of the New Smyrna News came out last week, and is a breezy up-to-date newspaper and will be a credit to that city. The publisher is Mr. Rood, a hustling live wire.—Fort Pierce News.

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News Gladly Welcomed—

The first edition of the New Smyrna News came out this week, and contains all city and adjacent town news. The owner and editor, Mr. Rood, is a live, hustling man, and the News is gladly welcomed to this little city.—Jacksonville Metropolis.

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One of Leading Weeklies—

The News is a new publication started at New Smyrna, the past week, with Messrs. Fitzgerald and Rood as editor and publishers. It presents a splendid appearance, and easily ranks as one of the leading weeklies of Florida.—Fort Pierce Tribune.

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The News is a Booster—

H. L. Rood has begun the publication of the New Smyrna News with its slogan as "Deep Water." The News is a booster and seldom do we see a weekly paper with as neat a typographical arrangement. Editor Rood, The News, and New Smyrna all have our best wishes.—Plant City Courier.

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An Appreciated Visitor—

The New Smyrna News is the name of a new paper which has recently begun publication. The two issues that have so far reached us are excellent ones. Editor Rood wrote us that he wished to exchange, but if his paper became stale and tiresome, we could cut him off; we assure him that if the first two issues are an index to what is to follow, the News will always be one of our most appreciated visitors.—Madison Enterprise-Record.

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The News is Newsy—

Volume 1, No. 1, of the New Smyrna News made its appearance last Friday in a six column eight page form and judging by the looks of this first issue it will live up to the name of "News" without any trouble. H. L. Rood, a capable newspaper man, is editor of the News. Here's to the "Rood-News" combination, may they long live and make good."—Eau Gallie Record.

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From Far Away Nebraska—

The Journal is adding a new paper to the exchange list, the New Smyrna News, published in far-away Florida. It will be edited, owned and managed by Harry L. Rood and his wife, the latter being well known in Ord, as Miss Belle Thorngate. Mr. Rood is a veteran newspaper man and has been editor of the Daytona (Florida) Daily News for several seasons.—Ord (Nebraska) Journal.

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Tampa Tribune Wishes Success—

The New Smyrna News has made its appearance, edited by H. L. Rood, a bright young newspaper man who has been doing good work on the East Coast. The paper is especially notable for its admirable arrangemen and classification of news and it is also typographically neat and classy. The News has a good field and has the best wishes of The Tribune for its success.—Tampa Tribune.

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New Smyrna's New Paper—

The New Smyrna News made its appearance last week and it is a bright, newsy, paper and a credit to the town. We welcome the News, not as a competitor, but as a co-worker for the up-building of New Smyrna. The News is edited by Harry L. Rood, an experienced newspaper man. While the town is small for two newspapers the News is bound to succeed because Mr. Rood will help to make business where there was none before. It can now be said that New Smyrna has two up-to-date newspapers that are worthy the support of the business men.—New Smyrna Breeze.

Praise from State Press—

The News is a new publication commencing to issue in New Smyrna. We have not seen a copy of it yet, but from the many praises it is receiving from the state press, it must be a good sheet.—Brooksville Argus.

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Ahead of Procession—

New Smyrna has a new paper now, the News, of which Harry L. Rood is the editor. Brother Rood will give the people of that section a paper a little ahead of the procession and it is hoped that they will appreciate it enough to make it a financial success.—Daytona Halifax Journal.

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One of Good Publications—

The New Smyrna News is the name of a handsomely printed and up-to-date newspaper that has appeared on our exchange table, printed of course at New Smyrna, from which it takes its name. The News comes in full six-column quarto size and bids fair to stand as one of the good publications of Florida.— Fort Myers Press.

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Not Stranded Yet—

The New Smyrna News is the latest journalistic candidate for public favor. It is a six column, eight page, paper and chock full of news matters, able editorials and spicy locals. H. L. Rood is editor and manager. It is too costly a paper for the town in which it is published and unless the owner has "a barrel" he must take in some sail or be stranded.—Jasper News.

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Successful Career Predicted—

Number one of the New Smyrna News, published at New Smyrna, Fla., edited by H. L. Rood, has made its appearance on our desk. It is neat typographically and is jammed full of news and advertisements. If the first issue is any criterion of its future, we predict a successful career for the new paper. It is an improvement over the average state weekly. We welcome The News in the journalistic field, and wish for its publisher a deservedly good patronage.—West Palm Beach News.

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Howdy—

Volume 1, No. 1, of the New Smyrna, (Fla.) News is a new exchange that comes to our desk. Harry L. Rood, son of G. B. Rood of Milton, and recently with the Beloit Free Press, is editor and manager, which makes it a safe wager that the new sheet will be a success.—Milton Junction (Wisconsin) Journal-Telephone.

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Credit to the Cause—

We were, a few days ago, requested by Harry L. Rood of New Smyrna to place The New Smyrna News on our mailing list, as he said this newspaper would make its bow to the public this week. We welcome brother Rood to the journalistic field and although we only received a card from his pen we feel sure that he will do credit to the cause. Here's success to him.—Mayo Free Press.

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Looks Like a Success—

Volume 1, Number 1, of the New Smyrna News arrived last Saturday morning bright and early. Harry L. Rood, formerly editor of the Daytona Daily News, is the editor and manager and he has already made good. The News carries a heavy advertising list and it looks as if it was going to be the biggest kind of a success. The Times is not the youngest paper on the coast any more; we have given up that title to the New Smyrna News.—Stuart Times.

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Enters Good Field—

The first issue of the New Smyrna News made its appearance at that city today and will be issued hereafter Friday of each week. The New Smyrna News is an eight page six column publication, devoted to the interests of New Smyrna and the section generally and carries all the county seat news of importance. While it enters upon a field already occupied, it has the hearty support of the business men and citizens of New Smyrna, which is growing rapidly and should furnish a good field for two papers. The New Smyrna News is edited and managed by H. L. Rood, an experienced newspaper man, for the past three seasons associated with the Daytona Daily News. The new paper carries a heavy advertising patronage. It's slogan is "Deep Water."—Daytona Gazette-News.

With an enthusiastic board of trade and two live newspapers working night and day on the Mosquito inlet proposition, it looks like New Smyrna would get the deep water harbor she is after.—Eau Gallie Record.

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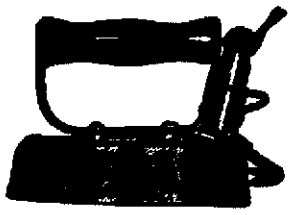

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PULPIT TOPICS

. E. Church, South—
Sunday school at 10 a. m., G. L. rahning, superintendent; preaching rvice at 7:30 p. m., sermon by ev. G. L. Day. Prayer meeting ednesday at 7:30 p. m., at the me of Mrs. Skipper; topic, "The ice of Spiritual Power." Visitors d strangers welcome.

W. A. FISCHER, pastor.

ngregational Church—
Services at the Congregational rch Sunday. Sunday school 10 a morning service 11 o'clock, ser n topic "What the Church stands " Evening service 7 30, sermon c: "Who answers when God s." You are cordially invited to of these services.

H. H. JONES, pastor.

NEWS AROUND THE STATE.

s a result of a row over a few ts in change, Sam Hamilton, a ro, was shot and wounded in a e at Hastings Saturday. He was t by an unknown negro. According to the story, the negro made a cent purchase in the store and given back a dime in change, ing presented a quarter in payment. He said that he had offered 0 cent piece instead of a quarter raised a row about it Sam milton made the assertion that he the coin and it was only a quar. The other negro left but soon urned and fired at Hamilton. One let struck him in the wrist and other in the groin. He will live.

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A meeting was held a few days o in Miami for the purpose of organizing the South Florida Fruit and cking company and the completion arrangements for the erection of necessary buildings and manufacing plant. The field of operations the company will be the packing fruit for shipment and the preparaof the juice and other by-prots of the inferior grades of fruit t are not fit for shipping. It is desire and purpose of the proters to interest growers as well as iness men in the venture, so that classes will co-operate for its suc. Application for articles of inrporation will be made just as soon the necessary legal formalities can gone through with.

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t a recent meeting of the directors the Orange County Fair associa, held in Orlando, it was decided embrace the counties of Lake usia, Osceola and Seminole and ite them to join with Orange and e a Sub-Tropical Mid-Winter Exition.

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When Florida people go north for summer it is not because the mer climate of Florida is not as asant as they can find, but bese the summer months are the y time they can have pleasant ather at their old homes up north. doesn't get as hot in southern Flor as it does sometimes in northern chigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota and er northern border states, and the hts here are simply delightful—ando Citizen.

Size and Quality.

he largest bottle may not hold the wine nor the biggest limousine sweetest bunch of loveliness.

THREE PARTIES DEMAND VISCERA OF E. O. PAINTER

STRUGGLE IN COURT OVER THE REMAINS OF THE LATE FERTILIZER KING—LITIGATION IN BALTIMORE.

An Associated Press dispatch from Baltimore under date of June 24th, says:

"Coroner C. D. Abbott of Jacksonville, and former Judge Isaac A. Stewart, of DeLand, Fla., the latter personal representative of the family of the late E. O. Painter, the fertilizer manufacturer who lost his life in the St. John's river recently at Jacksonville, arrived here today to take part in the three-cornered legal contest for the possession of the viscera of the dead man.

"The third party to the struggle is the United States Fidelity & Guaranty Co., of Baltimore, which issued an accident policy for $20,000 to Painter. The contending factions will meet later in the circuit court here, when the bonding company will demand that the organs be placed in the hands of a receiver on the ground that the chemist's analysis has not been completed. The company wants an independent examination made.

"Judge Stewart will contend that the analysis has been finished, no trace of poison found and that the organs should be given to the family. Coroner Abbott will demand that the organs be turned over to him, on the theory that the body of the deceased, heart, kidneys, stomach and all, are his property until his official verdict is given.

"The coroner brought a deputy sheriff with him armed with the authority of the state of Florida to seize the organs.

"Painter carried life insurance to more than $1,100,000 at the time of his death.

"Under the theory that he might have taken poison before falling into the water, Coroner Abbott sent his viscra to a Baltimore chemist for analysis The chemist recently reported that while he found no trace of poison, his examination did not show that there was hardening of the arteries."

BECKWITH SUBMITS TONNAGE FIGURES.

Complying with a request for information to be presented to the board of army engineers, bearing on the amount of probable commerce to be expected through New Smyrna inlet, Vice-President J. P Beckwith, of the Florida East Coast railway, has furnished the Daytona board of trade with figures showing the amount of freight handled in this locality for the yar ending June 30, 1912. The figures were submitted at the regular meeting of the board of trade last Friday evening, and show the tonnage for the year as follows: Daytona, 29,481 tons; Ormond, 5,269 tons; New Smyrna, 14,768 tons.

When to Judge a Man.

There is an ancient saying, famous among men, that thou shouldst not judge fully of a man's life before he dieth, whether it should be called blest or wretched.—Sophocles.

Making for Popularity.

In a small town a popular woman is one who is willing to loan her palm to the neighbor who is giving a party.

AN OPEN APPEAL TO NORTHERN NEWS READERS

Northern readers of the New Smyrna News who have the interests of New Smyrna at heart and would like to see this city and this section of the state grow and prosper, are requested by the New Smyrna board of trade to do what they can to boost along the effort to have the government deepen Mosquito inlet, so that ocean-going vessels may enter and depart from this city as a harbor.

In the effort to induce the board of engineers of the United States army to order a preliminary survey for the purpose of determining the amount of work necessary and the cost of making the water deep enough for large vessels, the board of trade is having circulated a large number of petitions, asking the board of army engineers to look with favor upon the project of opening Mosquito inlet to deep sea navigation, and these petitions are being liberally signed by the citizens throughout the eastern and central sections of Florida, which would be benefited by opening the inlet.

Along with this effort to help boost, northern readers are asked to clip the copy of this petition which follows and circulate it among friends and neighbors for the purpose of obtaining signatures. When they are secured, mail the signed petition to Secretary H. I. Hamilton of the New Smyrna board of trade. If there is not room enough on this petition write Secretary Hamilton for another petition. These petitions must be in Secretary Hamilton's hands not later than July 15,

Clip this petition.

We, the undersigned citizens, property holders, residents, registered voters, and shippers, most respectfully petition your honorable body, The Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors, to look with favor upon the opening of Mosquito Inlet to deep sea navigation that we may be relieved from the heavy yoke now placed upon us in the shape of excessive freight rates, and that our fair country may, through this means of better transportation facilities, be made to produce to its full capacity:

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C. H. SAMS
New Smyrna Florida

LAKE HELEN

LAKE HELEN, June 24.— Harry, Jean and Glynn Crouch of New Smyrna have been visiting Mrs. W. L. Niven for the past week.

Miss Blackiston, our school teacher, has just returned from New Smyrna

The young people of Lake Helen gave a dance Friday evening in Hopkins' hall in honor of Mr Patterson, who was to go away for a visit with his parents at Cocoa. He returned next day, saying he likes Lake Helen better than Cocoa. Wonder why?

Our beautiful lakes, surrounding Lake Helen, are an attraction for many visitors, and the young people especially enjoy the bathing.

The Municipal Ice company of Lak Helen is furnishing the F. E. C railway with a ton of ice each day. The ice is an excellent quality.

Our little town looks quite citified with the electric lights on every street. Half of the houses in the town have been wired for the lights, Bob Shumway, our electrician, doing the work.

We will soon have city water in practically all of the homes, which will boom Lake Helen and attract many visitors this way.

Miss Gertrude Scammel of DeLand is visiting Miss Esther Newton.

The Baptist church held its Children's day exercises Sunday evening. The church was filled and the children who took part in the exercises were a credit to Lake Helen talent.

Watermelons are ripe, as the colored people who go marching by with melons on their shoulders, can testify.

Lawrence Mace and family are visiting Mrs. Mace's parents. Mr. Mace will build a boat while he is away.

Albert Hyman has gone to the central part of Georgia to pack peaches. We are in hopes he will remember his friends with a box once in awhile.

The Literary society of Lake Helen met with Mrs. Russell Monday evening, Mrs. J. H. Hunt winning first prize, a beautiful picture of a cat. Mrs. Gillette won second prize and the second cat looked like it had the toothache.

Paul Johnson of DeLand is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hibbard. Mr. Johnson come over from DeLand in his automobile.

G. M. Barber and G. J. Hobbs of this city went up to Daytona yesterday on bicycles to witness the baseball-game there between Daytona and Hastings.

Simplicity and Depth.

Simplicity of character is the natural result of profound thought.—Hazlitt.

That Boy Again.

The Boy (company present)—"Mother, will the dessert hurt me tonight, or is there enough to go round?"—London Opinion.

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NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

Port Orange

MRS. J. L. PATTILLO, Correspondent

PORT ORANGE, June 25.—The trustees of the public school have arranged for the pupils to have access to the school library during the summer months. Mrs. J. B Case always a friend to the children, can be found at the school building from three to four o'clock every Tuesday afternoon.

While Port Orange will observe the Fourth only in a very quiet way, it is hoped that all our people will come together, as has been arranged for, and enjoy a genial social day, every one bringing a full basket.

Because of the indisposition of his little granddaughter Mr. Vinzant and family returned to DeLand Saturday afternoon.

Leon Sparkman ran over to DeLand by motorcycle last week to attend court, and also for a little visit with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Alexander at Beresford.

Rev. H. E. Partridge, having been called by his presiding elder to go elsewhere and preside at a quarterly conference, did not fill his usual fourth Sunday morning appointment here at the Methodist church this month.

Owing to the smallness of numbers and the intense heat of the summer, the Methodist Sunday school has recessed for the third quarter but will re-open as usual on the first Sunday in October.

Mrs. Frank Pattillo entertained the children of her Sunday school class with a lawn party at her home on Ridgewood avenue last Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Charles Milburn was hostess for the Good Times Club at their last meeting, and this week Mrs. T. M. Bangs, with her attractive daughters will entertain.

A saw mill plant, on the site formerly occupied by the Lufbery Fiber factory, is our latest enterprise and it is understood a grist and rice mill will be run in connection with same. The W. V. Carter Co. is the owner and manager of the new enterprise.

After an absence of several years our former citizen and depot agent, Willis Johnson, is with us for a week's rest. It goes without saying that everybody in the town is glad to see Willis.

J. Wesley Johnson of Daytona, spent Sunday with his brother and sister at this place.

Mrs. G. O. Scott was a week-end visitor to Daytona.

Mrs. Mary C. Karn leaves Wednesday of this week for the old home in Burkettsville, Md., to carry back to its last resting place the remains of her late husband which have been in the receiving vault at Daytona since his death in the early part of last January. Mrs. Karn will remain in Maryland through the summer, returning here some time in October.

Mrs. Zimmerman writes from Chicago that the heat there is almost unbearable and that she wishes she was back on the east coast of Florida.

Coronado

CORONADO, June 25—We are very grieved to learn of the death of J. P. Delahunty, Sr., of Pittston, Pa., better known in Coronado as Uncle Joe. Although 90 years of age Uncle Joe made some great records catching fish during his last winter here. The only golden sea bass ever caught was hooked and landed by Uncle Joe. Another great catch was an enormous cat fish which required two persons to land it, and when landed it actually weighed six pounds. When it came to telling stories Uncle Joe had no equal. Mr. Delanhnty was a famous inventor, having over 50 valuable patents to his credit.

Mr. and Mrs. Dunham who expected to rmain here all summer, were called to their home in Detroit, Mich., on business Sunday.

Mrs. W. H. Alcott arrived home from Jacksonville on the Swan Tuesday night.

Dr. Francis Dickinson, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Thursby and two children, left Saturday for their home in Orange City. They had a pleasant week in their cottage on the beach.

W. L. Cooper has the contract for lowering Mrs. Goodwin's cottage.

The Work We Love.

To business that we love we rise betime, and go to't with delight.—Shakespeare.

Ormond

J. A. REILLY, Correspondent

ORMOND, June 25.—On Tuesday evening a very pretty wedding was solemnized at the Union church, when Miss Agnes Waldron and Philip Fagen were united in marriage by Dr. John N. Richmond, assisted by the Rev. George B. Waldron. The bride was gowned in white net, trimmed with shadow lace over white and carried pink roses Aaron B Kimball acted as best man and David Seabloom as groomsman. The two flower girls, little Thelma Wylite and Annie Carnell, were dressed in white. The ushers were Francis and Leslie Waldron, brothers of the bride, Arthur Fagen, brother of the groom and Harry Wylie Miss Ethel Francis played the wedding march. A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Waldron, Lincoln avenue, for the immediate family and attendants. The bride was the recipient of many lovely gifts. Mr. and Mrs. Fagen will live in the Osceola cottage.

A. W. Street left Monday morning for South Manchester, Conn., where he will spend the summer. Philip Fagen accompanied him as far as Jacksonville.

Mrs. Harriet McClees, while burning rubbish in her yard Tuesday afternoon was very badly burned. The fire got beyond her control and in her attempt to prevent it from reaching the house her clothing caught on fire. Clifford, Robert and Jennine Dressner, who were passing the McClees' place, saw the fire and extinguished it. They then telephoned to Dr. Howe, who found Mrs. McClees in a very dangerous condition. She was taken to Dr. Klock's hospital, where she died early Wednesday morning.

Dredge No. 3, south of the Ormond Bridge, is working night and day, widening and deepening the channel, so that it will be 60 feet wide and five feet deep at low tide and six feet deep at high tide, thus avoiding the trouble and confusion boat owners have had in the past.

Geoorge Carlton, who has been spending several weeks in the north, returned home Wednesday morning.

Work is soon to be commenced on Mrs. Wilson Miller's new house on Highland avenue. The lot has been cleared and some of the building material has alrady arrived.

Mrs. Grace Lowe, wife of Herbert Lowe of Jacksonville, died Monday morning after an illness of several weeks. Mr. Lowe's mother has been with him several days. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lowe on receiving word, left Monday morning.

John Feitz returned from DeLand the first of the week, his sentence for selling wine being suspended. One day last week, Deputy Sheriff Joe Davis, and others poured on the ground about 2,000 gallons of wine found in the cellar.

Mrs. A. E. Cusack, who has been in Dr. Klock's hospital for several weeks, has returned home.

Norman McNary and Lawrence Rigby found a turtle crawl of about 175 eggs one evening last week.

Attorney and Mrs. James E. Alexander and family of DeLand, were in Ormond on Friday. They came over by auto.

Three of Ormond's staunch citizens served on the jury in DeLand last week. They were Messrs. McNeal, Maas and Davis.

Macon Thornton is in Jacksonville looking after business interests in that city. He expects to return about July 1st, when Mrs. Thornton and Burwell will arrive also.

J. G. Daub of Duluth, Minn., has purchased the Carnell gardens. He has rented a house in Ormond and expects to have his family here in a few weeks.

The Hastings ball team will play Ormond on the home grounds Friday afternoon.

We are informed that the Thomas Fitch grant is likely to pass into the hands of a New York concern. We hope they will be able to do business.

Not Many.

"Women are living longer than they did a generation ago," says a statistical authority. Yes, but will they own up to being any older?—Exchange.

Always Aggravating.

When a man loses because he failed to act in accordance with his convictions he feels doubly aggrieved if he cannot blame it on his wife.

Holly Hill

HOLLY HILL, June 24.—Mrs. W. B. McCoy and daughter, Mrs. J. J. Crowe, left last Thursday to spend the day and night with friends in Ormond, and Friday morning took the early train for Jacksonville, where they took the steamship Arapahoe. At Charleston they were joined by Dr. J. J. Crowe, who will accompany them to New York, where they will spend the summer in various parts of the state, visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Richards left Tuesday morning for Macon, Ga., where they will visit for a month or six weeks, with their son, E. A. Richards, Jr., and family.

Mrs W. J. Harding came up from Cocoa Saturday to take care of her father's, E. A. Richards, place while he is absent.

Miss Ida Peterson, who has been visiting her brother, Edwin Peterson, for about two months, left Thursday for her home in Pierson.

Quite a number of friends of Thos. Wetherell enjoyed a "fish fry" given by him Saturday night.

The F. F. society spent a very enjoyable afternoon at Mrs. W. H. Edmondson's last Wednesday.

The Union Sunday school has just received some new song books and the young folks are taking quite an interest in learning some of the new songs.

Kenneth Heath launched his boat last week. The newly installed engine works very satisfactorily, giving the boat a speed of between 12 and 15 miles per hour.

Justine's Rest Hour.

"If I throw a plate down every five minutes that will be enough to make madame think I am working all the time."—Pele Mele.

Boil the Water First!

Health authorities now declare that the finger bowl is full of germs. Never drink from the finger bowl.—Detroit Free Press.

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Seabreeze

MRS. H. A. BERNARD, Correspondent

SEABREEZE, June 26—H. F. Stewart will build a two-story residence on his beach lot on the northeast corner of Earl street and Atlantic avenue. Building material is being placed on the ground by the contractor, E. E. Johnson, and work will begin this week. The residence will contain nine rooms—five bed rooms—and a basement for laundry and heating purposes, and will be in readiness for family occupancy against the opening of the winter season. This is the 11th new house either in the course of constructinon or just completed within the town limits, not to mention the $50,000 addition to the Princess Issena, which is going forward rapidly, the 35-room boarding house being erected by Fred G. Stuart on North Grandview avenue and numerous improvements and remodeling which goes forward every summer. And this is not all. If half of the talked-of other new homes or cottages are actualized, the building list will have doubled in size by the coming season. Seabreeze is in the race all right.

Off for Summer Vacation—

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Williams of North Halifax avenue, left Monday morning on a two-months' vacation for Detroit, Mich., Canada, and other points in the states. Their first objective point is Detroit where they will visit Mrs. Williams' sister. Later they will take a short tour into Canada, returning by way of New York and Philadelphia, near which latter place they will stop for a short visit with Mr. and Mrs John Dates, Seabreeze winter residents. While Mr. Williams is away the Williams' department store will be in charge of J. R. Tomlinson.

Home Again—

Dr. and Mrs. T. F. Evernden and daughter, Miss Mary, came home from Hastings last week and are occupying their home on Oakridge boulevard for a couple of months. Miss Evernden, who is a general favorite in Seabreeze, has been drector of music in one of the colleges of North Georgia. Dr. Evernden has not been in good health for several months past, so they decided to try the tonicky seabreezes of their home town. Their many friends are extending to them a hearty welcome to City Beautiful.

General News Notes—

Mr. and Mrs. Eberhart have leased the Darby cottage through Kenney & Courtney, and are now in possession. Mr. and Mrs. Eberhart came down from the new town of Volusia, Mr. Eberhart being a member of the Volusia Development Co.

Prof. D. D. Davis and family returned Saturday from their vacation trip to DeLand and other interior points in the state, and are at their home on North Peninsula drive.

H. F. Evernden and friend, C. Bachelder, came down from Hastings Saturday by car and remained over until Monday at the Evernden home. Mr. Evernden is station agent at Hastings, and will take his annual vacation next month with his parents at Seabreeze.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Suddarth, who were called here by the illness of her uncle, the late E. F. Britton, will not return to Columbia, S. C., for several weeks yet. They will remain at the Glenwood during their stay.

Mrs. Merryday and her young son, Harlow, will go over to Palatka to celebrate the Fourth.

Mr. and Mrs. Weaver, who were here from Gainesville a short time last summer, are now occupying the Martin cottage on Atlantic avenue, recently purchased by Miss Shepherd.

C. M. Rogers and family of Loughman, this state, are making a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Wagnon on North Atlantic avenue. Mr. Rogers is Mrs. Wagnon's brother.

Rev. Mr. Partridge and family came over from Kingston last week and are occupying the Wigwam on North Seabreeze beach for a month. Mr. Partridge is pastor in charge of the M. E. Church, South, at Kingston.

H. L. Merryday, who is taking the course at the Jefferson Medical college in Philadelphia, is expected home on his vacation this week, and will join his parents at the Bonnie Doon cottage. He is in bad health.

Miss Eleanor Bly of DeLand, came over from the county seat Friday and joined Miss Julia Stewart and Mrs. H. L. Kochersperger at the latter's home for an indefinite stay.

C. C. Gillett left Monday for his old stamping ground in Pennsylvania. When he left he was undecided as to the length of his absence. It is being whispered around "there's a lady in the case."

Mrs. J. B. Abercrombie disposed of her stock of fancy goods while she was in Sanford last week. She was busy several days on her return packing and on Monday shipped the goods to the consignee.

The Miami party Messrs. J. A. and L. Burgman, and Wilcox, reached Miami Sunday.

Howard Williams after a little over a week's visit with relatives in Seabreeze left Thursday on his return to Jacksonville.

Mrs. H. S. Morrison came over from New Cassadaga last week and is occupying her home on the corner of Oakridge boulevard and Peninsula drive. Mrs. Collins of Cleveland, O., joined her Sunday to remain until Saturday, when both will return to Cassadaga.

Mrs. Morrison's brother, Bert Spencer and mother, Mrs. Spencer, brought Mrs. Collins over in their car. They spent the day with Mrs. Morrison and returned to New Cassadaga Sunday evening.

C. F. Burgman went up to Jacksonville Saturday morning, remaining over until Sunday afternoon.

R. T. Butler, who stopped off in East Arkansas to visit a brother, is now in Hot Springs, Ark., taking the baths.

The item of Mrs. J. W. Williams' return from Umatilla was in some way overlooked last week. She returned with Mr. Williams, her health very little, if any, improved by her stay in Umatilla.

Rev. and Mrs. E. J. Ranslow left Tuesday afternoon for Swanton, Vt., their home town. They were greatly pleased with the specimen of Florida summer enjoyed here this season.

E. B. Mott, who was called to Schenectady, N. Y., on business last month, in a recent letter to Mrs. Mott, said he had been suffering with a severe cold, and would be glad to get back to Dixieland. He expects to return early in September.

Mr. McLane and bride, who returned from their boat trip south last week, are prettily domiciled in Wetherby cottage No. 2 for the summer.

Mr. McGill, who came over from Lake Helen Saturday night to spend the week end with his wife at the Garfield cottage, accompanied Bert Spencer and his mother home in their car Sunday afternoon.

A card from Mrs. J. S. Hotchkiss, mailed at Shanghai, China, gives a picture and tells of an interesting visit to the public building where the examinations, lasting from three to seven days, were held on Confucius ethics. The cells or stalls are three by four feet, and men up to 80 years of age stood these examinations, no one being allowed to hold public office without this degree. These examinations have within the last few years been abolished by edict. Mrs. Hotchkiss also speaks of the special car given her party to Nanking and the steamer trip up the Yangtse river.

Mrs. Lida Thomas and sister, Miss Gussie Curtis, leave the last of the week, Friday or Saturday for Atlanta, Ga., to spend the summer. Mrs. Thomas will conduct the Mayfield again next season.

Daytona Beach

MRS. H. A. BERNARD, Correspondent

DAYTONA BEACH, June 26—A new two-story residence is being erected by George Sweeney at the south end of his lot on th corner of Coates and Harvey streets The house fronts on Harvey street, has plenty of porch room and otherwise is modern and substantial in appearance.

At the Seashell Cottage—

A bunch of six beautiful maidens came up from Miami last week and are pleasantly domiciled at the Seashell cottage on Ocean beach. They are, Misses Mattair, Goode, Rochers, McCluney, Spruill and Swain, chaperoned by Mrs. A. C. Swain, the mother of Miss Swain. Surf bathing is affording them great sport, not to mention the "movies" and the hotel hops.

Sunday Morning Service—

Rev. E. J. Ranslow, pastor of the Seabreeze Tourists' church, in the absence of Rev. H. H. Bowen, preached at the morning services in the Methodist church Sunday. He delivered an excellent discourse, as usual, and had a fair-sized congregation. Choir service was unusually fine, several selections being given by the male quartet composed of Messrs. Ramsey, Shelly, Stewart and Burdick.

Rev. H. H. Bowen is now in Kansas, visiting various parts of the state in the interest of the Northwestern Kansas conference. He is on his vacation and enjoying the change.

Council Doings Monday Night—

The proceding of the council meeting of Monday night, simmered down, amounted to little more than hearing the reading of numerous bills, most of which were ordered paid. President Smith had to go on a war hunt to get a quorum together, and it was ten o'clock in the evening before the council got into working order. Auditor's report of May 31st was approved. Clerk was instructed to notify treasurer to open an account with Coates street and First avenue for the purpose of setting aside a certain amount of the general fund for work done on these streets. An ordinance for bird protection will be brought before the council at the next regular meeting.

At the Hotels—

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Alexander, Mrs. Anna Horner and R. Q. Kepler, Jr., motored over from the county seat Friday for a short stay at the Breakers.

Geo. H. Frenald and wife and A. B. Mahoney, of Sanford, made up a pleasant automobile party for a week and enjoyment of the beach and were guests of the Breakers.

Dr. Scofield of Cocoa and Rockledge, is spending a few days at the Seaside Inn on his way to Eagles' Nest, N .C., for the summer.

Dr. W. A. Gotch of Eustis; Miss Cora E. Jackson, Warren Jackson, DeLand; Mrs. H. M. Fraser, Laura Fraser and Ruth Fraser, Orlando, were among the Monday arrivals at the Seaside Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Cary-Elwes, daughter, Miss Cary-Elwes and brother, guests at the Daytona Beach hotel, left Tuesday on their return to Orlando.

J. H. Overman was over from Sanford Saturday with an automobile party of six for a couple of days at the Daytona Beach hotel.

W. H. Carr and party of 12 drove over from Eustis and were at the Daytona Beach hotel from Thursday until Saturday.

The members of the Crystal Orchestra of Daytona had their dinner at the Daytona Beach hotel Sunday and afterwards entertained the guests with numerous musical numbers.

F. A. Curtis and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Switzer, a party from Orlando, were pleasantly entertained at the Breakers this week.

General News Notes—

H. F. Stewart is planning a trip to Hendersonville, N. C., in July, where he will visit Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Fluhart. Later on he will join Mrs. Stewart and children at Asbury Park, N. J

Miss Nicholson who has been visiting her brother and family, left Wednesday on her return to Sanford.

Mrs. Frank Smith and two children, Johnnie and Florence, came over from Palatka Sunday to spend the summer with Mrs. Smith's mother, Mrs. A. S. Harroun at the apartment house.

J. J. Bishop has had a bath room and front porch added to their new home on Live Oak street, while Mrs. Bishop and daughter, Miss Gertrude, are visiting in DeLand.

Stanley Strother, the third son and capable young hopeful of Mrs. Henry Strother, is now working behind the counter at the Bunch grocery.

Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong of Daytona, have leased and are occupying the Branch cottage, "Uleeta," on Atlantic avenue. Mr. Armstrong represents the Porter & Mallard company of Jacksonville.

Miss Cora Powell left last week for Hillsboro, O., to visit her sister and family for the summer.

Mrs. F. Sparber returned Monday from a several days' business trip to DeLand. While at the county seat she rented a cottage for next winter, Miss Franz having decided to take the course in music at Stetson during the fall and winter term. They expect to move over some time in October.

Dr. Frank Owens and family were over from Eustis from Thursday until Monday, visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. H Freeman and family at Pinehurst. Mrs Owens is Mr. Freeman's sister.

Miss Etta Freeman and Miss Ruth Keating will organize a dancing class at the casino Saturday afternoon for children from five to 14 years of age

C. A. Kenney has sold a beach lot south of the Gorham Weaver place, South Daytona Beach to Fidel George, of Michigan, who has been spending much time in this vicinity for the past two years.

Miss Catherine Pickett has purchased through C. A. Kenney agency, lot 14 on Grandview avenue, near Earl street, Seabreeze.

Miss Hattie Allen of Sorento, came over from the interior last week to visit Mrs Carrie Budgen on Seabreeze avenue.

Miss Marguerite Freeman arrived from St Augustine Friday to spend her three weeks' vacation with her parents, Mr and Mrs. W. H. Freeman, at Pinehurst.

Mrs. Carrie Budgen re-opened her shop on Seabreeze avenue this week

The Peninsula subscribers of the Gazette-News are greatly pleased over the change of date of publication of the paper from Saturday to Friday, and the prompt arrival of the paper Friday morning.

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WHY PAINTER DID NOT SUICIDE

(By Chas. E. Jones in Dixie.)

Why should E. O. Painter have suicided?

I don't care what the analysis shows, there is every indication—every proof that this prominent citizen lost his life by accident—that he fell overboard from the Jacksonville ferry boat while in a condition of extreme illness caused by nausea.

E. O. Painter stood among the first men in Jacksonville. His happy home life excited much favorable comment—his business affairs were in excellent shape—he was of sunny temperament—he was a consistent Christian—he was just planning greater things to make him happier—he had everything to live for.

Then why should he want to die? The enormous life insurance showed that he loved his business and that he loved his family. His death would cause his wife and daughter poignant grief. Why should he wish to inflict such pain upon those whom he loved best in all the world? He knew that with over a million dollars' worth of life insurance recently taken out, that insurance companies would have an investigation. Hundreds of bodies have been dug up after being buried in search for poison and to enable insurance companies to determine whether there are evidences of suicide. If E. O. Painter decided to drown himself, he did not have to take any poison. All that he had to do was to get into a row boat and get drowned where no one could see him, and no company could have evidence or suspicion that he suicided.

On the contrary he was on a ferry boat with an intimate friend He complained of being sick in the stomach and in order to relieve himself he stepped to the rear of the open edge of the boat. He grasped the railing and tried to hold on. His friend warned him of the danger, but the splashing waters over which he bent added to his sickness and in a fit of coughing his hold on the railing was broken and he went overboard into the churning waters behind the boat.

Watch the water immediately behind a fast running boat, and you can see what E. O. Painter encountered when he fell overboard. Even in his sickness, however, he managed to hold up until the boat reached the opposite side of the river. Of course he was exhausted before he fell and the rough waters behind the boat added to his exhaustion but he struggled hopefully as he saw a yacht coming to save him In vain he looked towards the ferry boat, but seeing the yacht he turned towards it with his hands and arms indicating an effort to keep afloat, but just before the yacht reached him his strength gave completely away and he sank.

No, there was no occasion for E. O Painter taking his own life. He was not morose or unhappy—he had no financial troubles and he was not crazy. The big insurance created the suspicion, yet there are other men in this city carrying a large amount of insurance which drives them almost to the wall to keep up.

But had E. O. Painter desired self destruction he could in remembrance of the "12-months' clause" have waited a year and avoided the possibility of legal complications. Those who saw Ed. Painter struggle in the troubled foam, rough waters of the St. Johns river—those who knew the man most intimately will never be convinced that he killed himself.

Another matter—I was on the ferry boat with E. C. Broward, P. S. Bowen, Emmett Broward and others, and we saw Painter struggling to save his life as the yacht approached him. For fully five minutes he was battling to live.

It is contended by some that Painter could not afford to carry such insurance, as he was not a rich man. Mr. Painter was a rich man, and he had a family that lived comfortably and inexpensively. The home was beautiful, but the three members lived quietly, caring nothing for society functions and lavish entertainment. The daughter devoted her time and talents to her father's business and the wife and mother to household duties.

Mr Painter was earnestly solicited by insurance companies to take out more insurance. One of these agents told me how difficult it was to "land" him—how he expressed his desire, but didn't want to go beyond his means. Then again insurance companies always know just how much insurance a man carries before they insure him—they know everything about his business and his ability to pay They also know that great insurance on a man like E O Painter is an incentive for other men to increase their insurance, and they use such in advertising among agents all over the state.

The evidence is in favor of the Painter heirs. The circumstances, while in many respects peculiar, do not show suicide In fact, everything goes to show that E O Painter had nothing to cause a desire for self-destruction.

The passing away was the decree of the inscrutable wisdom of Him who rules the universe and who works in a "most mysterious way, His wonders to perform."

REPORTS SHOW FEW HIGH POINTS IN STATE.

The United States Geological Survey recently published Bulletin 516, "Results of Spirit Leveling in Florida, 1911," the work reported in which was done under the direction of R. B. Marshall, chief geographer. In the bulletin are given descriptions of about 200 datum points established by the Geological Survey, as well as approximately 40 points established by the Coast and Geodetic Survey. The lowest point in the state described in the bulletin is given as follows:

St. Augustine, in face of sea wall, 1.9 meters below top, few feet south of bench mark A, of wall; upper surface or iron rod 1 inch square (C. & G. G. S. "Tidal") .....0.872 feet.

The highest point in the state thus far accurately determined is a bench mark established by the Geological Survey and is described as follows:

Lake Geneva, 12 miles northeast corner of crossroads, iron post stamped "246 Prim. Trav. Sta. No. 66" ... ...246 227 feet

The topographic maps published by the survey show the elevation of points within the areas mapped, but these elevations are only approximate, while those given in the bulletins on spirit leveling are exact and consequently are of considerable value to engineers and surveyors who may require some point on which to base their work.

A number of years ago the Geological Survey published a "Dictionary of of Altitudes" for the entire United States (now out of print), but the elevations given in that volume were nearly all approximate only; they could not be used as a basis for work requiring accuracy and care. The state bulletins on spirit leveling, however, when complete, will form a series of inestimable value because the elevations of most of the datum points are given in thousandths of a foot and the points are so described as to be easily identified.

Result of Procrastination.

The things that we put off until tomorrow are usually finished just twenty-four hours late.—Detroit Free Press.

At Times.

Ted—"Do you believe that woman should hold the reins?" Ned—"It is all right when you have the girl out in a sleigh."—Judge.

CALL FOR MEETING OF TURPENTINE OPERATORS.

A general convention of turpentine operators has been called for June 30th at Jacksonville, Fla., "to discuss, formulate and put in execution methods that will enable the operators to keep in touch with every detail of the manufacture and distribution of naval stores products."

The call was issued by the Turpentine Operators' Social and Mutual Interest association which was organized a short time ago at Arcadia, Fla.

The following announcement, with regard to the matter has been made:

"It will be necessary for the operators to get together, study costs from tree to consumer, plan methods of conservation and put the business on a better general system. The Florida association organized at Arcadia was composed of 17 leading firms, who urge the operators in Georgia and other states to organize and send representatives to the Jacksonville convention on June 30th. The secretary of every local organization is requested to notify Neil McL. Sinclair, secretary, Sinclair, Fla., confirming the above place and date for general convention.

"A scale of prices for labor has been agreed on by the Florida operators, as follows: Seventy cents per m. for chipping or pulling; 60 cents per barrel for dipping; for renting, operator to retain the scrape, but to pay for dipping the gum; for virgin, $1.40 per bbl. net to laborer; for yearling, $2.00 per bbl. net to laborer; for third year, $3 00 per bbl. net to laborer; for all other grades, $3 50 per bbl. to laborer.

"But the operator, if he so elects, may pay the laborer 35 cents per c. w t. for the scrape—laborer to do scraping.

"It is further agreed that we will not loan any money to laborers, nor pay any accounts for hands to a turpentine operator, nor move any laborer, nor knowingly furnish any work for a laborer who owes an account to a turpentine operator.

"It is further agreed that we will all have our pay days on the same date, namely on the second Saturday in each and every month, but if we fail to pay on any second Saturday, that we will not pay until the second Saturday in the succeeding month.

"The above prices are subject only to a deviation of five cents per thousand boxes, where the timber is thin, woods rough or otherwise bad."

ADVANCEMENT OF FLORIDA AS SEEN BY AN OUTSIDER

COMBINATION OF LIVE PEOPLE AND MAGNIFICENT RESOURCES PLACING STATE IN THE FRONT RANK.

Few if any, states in the Union have ever progressed at any times in their history as Florida is doing now, this advancement being the happy result of a combination of magnificent resources and of live people.

To a greater extent than ever before, Florida is the market garden of the country in the season when the products of Florida soil and sunshine can not be grown elsewhere. The products of its growth increase in quantity and in popularity. The Florida orange is established as the finest in the world and the like of its grapefruit is not grown elsewhere.

These are great sources of revenue and help most substantially to make the state prosper. But, there are other developments which are becoming more and more important as factors in the advancement of Florida. The number of its manufacturing plants is increasing steadily and substantially. Substantial business structures and fine residences are being erected in Florida cities and towns in numbers and at an outlay of money that only those who keep constantly informed as to matters of this kind can appreciate fully. Municipal and county improvements are being made continually, the latter including the paving of highways with brick.

Figures from federal compilations demonstrate the wonderful progress in Florida.

The value of property in the state increased from $103,047,937 in 1902 to $210,481,175 in 1912. In ten years the deposits in state banks increased from $4,782,093 to $24, 741,061. In the same period the deposits in the national banks grew from $7,935,800 to $29,-707,071 The total resources of the banks increased from $18,300,252 to $85,300,506.

From 1900 to 1910 the population of Florida increased by 42.4 per cent, the average percentage of increase in the United States in the same time having been 21 per cent.

In ten years the increase in the value of Florida farm products was 203 per cent. the gain in the United States in the same time having been 118 per cent. The value of Florida farm buildings grew 144 per cent., as against an increase of 77 per cent in the United States as a whole.

The resources and possibilities of Florida have the attention of the country as never before, and it is easy to understand that what Florida has accomplished—great as it is— is only earnest of what is to come—Columbus, Ga., Industrial Index.

Where to Look for It.

A California scientist is trying to find the microbe that paralyzes man. A curious fact in connection with his search is that he is not conducting it in a barroom.

Degrees of Suffering.

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GOVERNMENT SHOULD TAKE OVER EAST COAST CANAL

SHOULD BE LINK OF GREAT INLAND WATERWAY SYSTEM PARALLELING THE COAST FROM NEW ENGLAND.

According to the last bulletin of the Atlantic Deep Waterways association, the United States government has paid the item of $500,000 for the Chespeake and Albemarle canal connecting the Elizabeth river on which Norfolk is located with Albemarle sound and it is anticipated that a great saving will result in the shipments of the Virginia-Carolina district and that a large commerce will be built up.

Government engineers will at once lay plans for deepening the canal to a minimum depth of 12 feet and have been surveying a short cut between Albemarle sound and the Beaufort waters, the hope being that congress will provide funds for the completion of the entire chain of waterways which is to connect Hampton Roads with Beaufort inlet and cut off the dangerous passage around Cape Hatteras.

And after the federal government has done this much, may it not be expected to take over as rapidly as possible the entire chain of internal waterways down the Atlantic coast? Private ownership of the rivers and canals is certain to be disastrous to the interests of the people and the sooner the United States government secures control of them the better, for with the realization that water-borne commerce is demanded today more than at any time in the nation's history, monopoly of the water courses is the natural proceeding of the predatory interests and the longer they are given control of them, the more dificult it will be to secure their possession.

In Florida we are already seeing what may be expected in the use of the East Coast canal Tolls, necessary most certainly for the remuneration of the companies that have spent money in putting the waterway into navigable condition, are to make the cost of freight carriage by this means almost prohibitive it seems and this condition may be expected to xist until—as it ought to be at once—the federal government takes over the canal, uses it to complete the waterway down the Atlantic coast and provides for free traffic throughout its extent.

Just now the Atlantic Deep Waterways association needs the encouragement and the assistance of every influential person in Florida. It has marked out a work in the opening of a canal from New England to Cape Sable that will be of incalculable benefit to this state and Florida's representatives at Washington should give it their ablest support.—Miami Metropolis.

THE OLD EAST COAST.

(W I S)

Just let me live on the old East Coast,
Where the balmy breeze, and the salt sea air,
Make life worth while—why, who would dare,
To go to the mountains, or springs, and boast,
Of a better place than the old East Coast.

Just let me live on the old East Coast,
In a house built so I can move aroun'
Thru the creeks and rivers from town to town,
And hunt and fish—and anything most,
That makes things "hum" on the old East Coast.

Just let me live on the old East Coast,
Where any old time I take a notion,
I can go to the beach and roll in the ocean,
I can lie on the sand and stretch and roast,
'Neath the tropic sun on the old East Coast.

Just let me live on the old East Coast,
Where the best of men have breathed their last,
What does it matter when I have passed
To the end of life, and give up the ghost,
If I can leave my bones on the old East Coast.

New Smyrna, Florida.

Convincing.

"That Mrs. Topfloor must know I powder my face," decided Mrs. De Puff, "for just now I heard her telling the janitor's wife that she thought I belonged to the plasterers' union!"

Considerate.

"You used to want to hold my hand before we were married," she complained. "I'd like to now," said he easily, "but it would keep you from your housework, my dear."

Reformation.

Let him go abroad to a distant country; let him go to some place where he is not known. Don't let him go to the devil, where he is known.—Dr. Samuel Johnson.

Not So Dumb.

"They call this a 'dumb' waiter," observed Mrs. Gossip, "but it has told me the secrets of every family in the house."

As to Success.

Griggs—I should say that the keys to success are luck and pluck. Briggs—Yes! Look in finding some one to pluck.

Man Truly Great.

The greatest man is he who chooses right with the most invincible resolution.—Sanson.

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